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MAIN STREET, MARIPOSA.

Refitted and Refurnished Throughout!

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MR. PHILLIPS, who has had much experience in the above line of business, as the Proprietor of one of the first Hotels in Mariposa, has made preparations for the wants of the traveling community at his Hotel.

An excellent TABLE, under the supervision of his Lady—and the best of BEDS and FURNISHED ROOMS, always to be had.

Polite attention will always be given, and charges reasonable.

Mariposa, March 18, 1856. m21tf

THE "YOSEMITE HOTEL,"

[FORMERLY THE "SOUTHERN."]

HAVING RECENTLY BEEN RE-FITTED AND re furnished, is now in order for the reception and entertainment of the public. augStf

UNION HOUSE!

FRANK WILLIAMS.....PROPRIETOR.

On 5th Street, next Building to the "Old Fremont" Adobe, on the corner of 5th and Main Streets.

MARIPOSA.

THE undersigned, formerly of the "Franklin House," has opened a Hotel under the above name and location.

ACCOMMODATIONS FOR FAMILIES,
PRIVATE PARLORS, AND ROOMS,
A GOOD TABLE AND BEDS,

and assiduous attention from the Proprietor and others connected with the House.

This Hotel is in a retired and pleasant place, free from the noise, confusion, and dust of Main street.

Attached to this establishment is a good STABLE where animals will be well attended to.

FRANK WILLIAMS.
sep20 tf

HORNITAS HOTEL!

HORNITAS, MARIPOSA COUNTY,

W. G. GOSS, Proprietor.

THIS HOTEL is now in excellent condition for the accommodation of Travelers. The TABLE will be spread with the best the market affords. The BAR stocked with the choicest of Liquors.

A careful attention to the wants of guests will be given by all connected with the house.

Hornitas, August 28, 1856. au29-tf

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Coulterville, Mariposa County.

G. W. COULTER.....PROPRIETOR.

WOULD respectfully inform the public that he has made such additions and improvements to his Hotel as the increase of travel and patronage has demanded.

Persons visiting Coulterville, can here find excellent accommodations—a Good Table—Good Beds, and polite attention.

A Stable is attached to the Hotel, under the charge of careful and attentive hostlers. Horses and Mules to let upon reasonable terms. m13-1y

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Sansome street, between Commercial and Sacramento.

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This House is fitted and furnished in a style inferior to none in the city of San Francisco. Accommodations of a superior discription, are afforded to all, whether transient visitors or regular boarders.

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Assiduous and polite attention may be relied upon from all connected with the House, by its guests. d20-tf

CITY HOTEL,
COULTERVILLE.

GEORGE COUNTS, Proprietor.

THIS HOTEL is in comfortable order for the entertainment of the public. In connection with the Hotel is the large and

New Livery Stable

of Mr. Thomas Scott.

Careful attention will be given to the wants of both man and beast.

Coulterville, Sept. 4, 1856. s5-tf

BEAR VALLEY DEPOT!

R. W. HAMMATT.

Located at the Head of Bear Valley.

Has on hand one of the largest stocks of all kinds of GOODS, in common use, in Mariposa County. An enumeration of kinds or prices is unnecessary, for all are assured that they can be supplied in every respect, at low rates.

To Miners, whether in companies or otherwise, who are buying large lot of Provisions, his attention is especially directed.

A large train of Pack Mules are always in readiness to pack Goods to any part of the River, or to other places accessible to animals.

He also has a LIVERY STABLE, and can supply good animals for traveling to those in want. j17-tf

J. M. Strowbridge & Co.,

RETAILERS OF

CLOTHING, HATS, CAPS,

AND

Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods.

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SAN FRANCISCO.

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GUARD & CO.

HAVE RECENTLY ESTABLISHED THEMSELVES IN A

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At the Head of Main Street, opposite Methodist Church.

THEIR STOCK IS NEW AND FASHIONABLE,

Selected with reference to the tastes and wants of this market, and at

PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES.

Call and examine for yourselves before purchasing elsewhere. Jy18-tf

LUMBER

...AT..

REDUCED PRICES!

J. C. LAMON & CO.,

BEAR CREEK,

HAVE ON HAND AT THEIR MILL, FOUR miles from Mariposa, a large lot of Assorted and Seasoned Lumber, which will be sold according to quality and quantity, at prices varying from

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Orders are respectfully solicited, but it must be distinctly understood that credit cannot be given. We have determined to adopt the CASH system, and sell on the most reasonable terms.

Bear Creek, July 25, 1856. jy25-tf

LUMBER! LUMBER!!

THE undersigned has leased the STEAM SAW-MILL, known as OWEN & CO.'S,

Situated in Mono, Four Miles from the Town of Mariposa.

Where he is prepared to furnish Bills of all descriptions, and of the BEST QUALITY OF LUMBER, at the shortest notice.

GOOD SEASONED LUMBER constantly on hand and for sale at the Mill, or at any place where a Wagon can go at reasonable rates.

Terms, Cash—or Hay and Barley at Cash prices.

SAMUEL L. HOGAN,
J. N. THOMAS, Agent. Sept. 12-tf.

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MANUFACTORY & STORE.

CHARLES STURCKE begs leave to announce to his friends and the public, that he has established himself in the above line of business

On Main street, nearly opposite McNamara & Crippen's.

Where he is prepared to execute all orders that he may be favored with, at short notice, and in the most satisfactory manner.

A large assortment of FURNITURE and BEDDING will always be kept on hand.

Old Furniture repaired, upholstered and varnished, in a manner to renew the strength, and appearance, at reasonable prices.

Mattrasses and Pillows, of all sizes and qualities. Made to order. Also—Wood Carving done.

BILLIARD TABLES repaired and leveled, and NEW CUSHIONS made to order.

The undersigned will endeavor to merit, and hopes to receive a share of the public patronage.

Most respectfully, CHARLES STURCKE.
Mariposa, March 6th 1856. tf

STOVE DEPOT,

.... AND ....

TIN SHOP.

S. WORMSER, Proprietor.

Next door to Phillips' Hotel, Mariposa.

The proprietor keeps constantly on hand and for sale, a large assortment of

PARLOR & COOKING STOVES, Tin-Ware, Hard-Ware, &c.,

which he is prepared to dispose of at San Francisco prices. All kinds of

JOB WORK,

In the Tin, Copper, and Sheet-Iron

line, done to order at short notice, and in the best manner.

Call and examine for yourselves,
Mariposa, Jan. 10, 1856-tf

THE UNDERSIGNED OFFERS HIS SERVICES to the Merchants in the interior, as a commission buyer of Goods in San Francisco, having been engaged in the business for nearly three years past, with three years previous experience in the interior. He hopes to give satisfaction to such as may employ him in that capacity. Orders for any description of Merchandize filled and forwarded promptly.

SAML. H. FRICHARD,
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LUMBER! LUMBER!!

AT PIONEER

STEAM SAW MILL.

TWO AND THREE-QUARTER MILES FROM THE STAGE ROAD, over the best Road leading to a Saw Mill in this county.

ALWAYS ON HAND at the LOWEST RATES, a full assortment of

DRY LUMBER

for Building, Mining and Fencing purposes.

Teams always at the Mill ready to deliver Lumber to any part of the County where there are Wagon Roads, at very low rates.

BARLEY taken in exchange for Lumber at the Mariposa cash Market price.

WHITE, HATCH & Co.
By G. GREEN, Ag't.
Millville, August 15, 1856. au15 tf.

GENTLEMEN VISITING SAN FRANCISCO WILL do well to call at the Clothing Establishment of J. C. EDDY & Co., South East Corner Sansome and Commercial Streets, where they will find the Largest and best selected Stock of Clothing, Hats, Caps and Furnishing Goods this side the Rocky Mountains, and at prices to suit the times.

Do not forget the place—OPPOSITE THE ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL. aug1-6m.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT!

The "Traveller's Rest,"

SITUATED UPON THE STOCKTON AND MARIPOSA ROAD, about four and one-half miles from Mariposa Town.

Apply on the premises, or of the undersigned.

JOHNSON.
Sept. 5, 1856. s5tf

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A STABLE in Mariposa, situated on Fourth street, and formerly occupied by W. B. Taylor & Co., while engaged in Livery and Staging business. This Stable is favorably located—a lot sufficiently large is connected therewith—also excellent water, and is in condition for immediate occupancy. For particulars regarding price of property, or terms of leasing, inquire of

SAMUEL LORD,
Upper Sherlock's, October 29, 1856. 3m

E. WATSON,

Jeweler and Ambrotypist!

JEWELRY REPAIRED

AND AMBROTYPES TAKEN

IN THE BEST STYLE,

And with the latest improvements in the Art, and on the shortest notice.

OFFICE—Next building to Pool's Hotel, Quartzburg.
November 25, 1856. no26-3m

Professional Cards.

NICHOLAS CLEARY,

ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW,

MARIPOSA, CAL.

OFFICE—East side of Main street, between Fourth and Fifth streets. jan9 tf

S. A. MERRITT, ALEX. DEERING

MERRITT & DEERING,

ATTORNEYS AT LAW,

OFFICE ON MAIN STREET, MARIPOSA.

ALEX. DEERING, Notary Public. no19-tf

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Will practice in the Counties of Mariposa, Merced, Stanislaus, Fresno and Tulare.

Office at present, in Judge Washburn's office—Boarding and Lodging at Phillip's Hotel, d3-tf

HENRY G. WORTHINGTON,

ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW,

Office in Fremont's Adobe Building, Corner of Charles and Fifth Streets, opposite Post Office, Mariposa, California. jy18tf

S. B. ALLISON. B. B. HARRIS

ALLISON & HARRIS,

Attorneys At Law,

Office on Main street, between 4th and 5th, Mariposa jy12 tf

R. H. DALY,

ATTORNEY AND NOTARY PUBLIC,

Mariposa. jy12-tf

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ATTORNEY AT LAW,

HORNITAS, MARIPOSA CO., CAL.

Will attend to all business entrusted to his care, in the Courts of the Thirteenth Judicial District, promptly. d3tf

L. W. TALBOTT,

ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW.

MERCED COUNTY,

OFFICE AT SNELLING'S HOTEL.

Aug. 8, 1856. au8tf.

H. CLARK,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

MILLERTON, FRESNO COUNTY,

Will pay strict attention to all business entrusted to his charge. o29tf

JOSEPH BLEDSOE. G. L. WALTON.

BLEDSOE & WALTON,

Attorneys At Law,

.... AND ....

GENERAL COLLECTING AND LAND AGENTS,
CITY OF AUSTIN, TEXAS.

Will promptly and faithfully attend to all business entrusted to their care, particularly the collection of debts, locating of lands, perfecting land titles, paying taxes, buying and selling lands, &c. One of the firm will always be found at their office, No. 6, Bois d'Arc street.

Austin, Texas, Jan. 25, 1856. m2-tf

ALFRED F. WASHBURN,

Justice of the Peace for Township No. 3.

Office in Mariposa. Jul. 12 1y

J. S. WATTS,

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE FOR TOWNSHIP NO. 3.

Office on Main Street, Mariposa,

2 DOORS BELOW THE POST OFFICE.

ap4-tf

DR. THOMAS PAYNE,

OFFICE—In Dr. A. D. Boyce's Drug Store, opposite the Yo Semite Hotel.

MAIN STREET, MARIPOSA.

Where he can be consulted at all hours. n19

DOCT. JAS. L. CLARKE,

Office, "PINE TREE HOUSE," corner Fifth Main Streets.

Mariposa. Oct 27-1y

Dr. W. S. Kavanaugh,

OFFICE ON MAIN STREET, OPPOSITE DR. HUBBEL'S DAGUERREAN GALLERY,

MARIPOSA. July12-1y

Dr. Edward H. Trescot,

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON,

IS now prepared to attend to all calls in the Profession.

Office, corner of Sixth and Main street, Mariposa. aug8-tf.

Dr. A. J. Lasseter,

PHYSYCIAN AND SURGEON,

LOWER AGUA FRIO.

Office, first door below Whittier's Hotel.

Dr. L. will devote his assiduous attention to the examination and treatment of such cases and disorders as may be brought to his notice. Personal attendance will be given in any part of the county, on short notice, when required.

A new stock of Medicines, pure and fresh, just received.

Agua Frio, April 1st, 1856. ap4-tf

DR. H. J. PAINE,

DENTIST,

Of the firm of PAINE & BEERS, San Francisco, has the pleasure to announce to the citizens of Hornitas, Quartzburg, and vicinity, that he will attend to all calls in his profession. Having, during an extensive practice of seventeen years, made many improvements in the Dental Art, and assisted materially in bringing it to its present high state of perfection, he feels warranted in saying to all those wishing Dental Operations performed, or Artificial Teeth inserted on fine gold plate, that his work cannot be excelled in the United States.

Terms moderate. Consultations free.

Office in Hornitas. m2-tf

J. B. ISBAIL,

DENTIST.

Main Street, Mariposa.



Formerly of Philadelphia, Penn., is permanently located in Mariposa, having a comfortable and convenient Office, Next door to the Pacific Express, with all the necessary Instruments and appliances, will do any kind of work that pertains to the profession of Dentistry, in a manner which shall give entire satisfaction, or the money refunded.

Artificial Teeth inserted on Gold Plate or on Pivot, as the case may require. Teeth Pluged with pure gold, or Extracted. Childrens' Teeth regulated when necessary, and all diseases of the gums treated—the most of which are called Scurvey of the gums. Cure or no pay,

Cloroform administered if desired. Terms reasonable. Examination free. Jy. 11th, 1856-tf

NOTICE.

ALL those indebted to the undersigned, recently engaged in the Butchering business in Mariposa, are requested to come forward and settle prior to the 1st of January, or their accounts will be left in the hands of an officer for collection.

NEIL & CO.
Mariposa, Nov. 26, 1856. no26 6t

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SACRAMENTO CORRESPONDENCE.

DOINGS AT THE CAPITOL.

SACRAMENTO, January 9th, 1857.

Organization of the Legislature—Members from Mariposa—The Chaplaincy in the House—Mariposans in Sacramento—The Governor's Message—Bill to reduce the Salary of County Judge—Drinking Houses—Senatorial Aspirants—Appointment of a Mariposian—Temperance Paper, &c.

On condition that I am in the weekly receipt of your paper, I will furnish you with occasional *weakly* letters during the Legislative session.

Both Houses are now fully organized for business, and a large crowd of seekers for the small offices have departed to their respective homes. Among the newspaper men who were successful, are Chief Clerk Campbell, of the "Sierra *Citizen*," and Mr. Cazenau, of Columbia, a Clerk in the Senate. So it seems that being connected with a paper is not a bar to the loaves and fishes.

The delegation from your county, as yet, have taken no active part in the proceedings of the Legislature. In discussing the Chaplain question, the other day, the question of Vigilance and *anti*-Vigilance arose, upon which occasion Mr. Showalter took occasion to say that his constituency was largely *anti*-Vigilance. The House very properly determined not to have a Chaplain this winter. The State has already paid about $30,000 for prayers, and this without the authorization of law. It is high time that this expense was stopped, and I am glad to be able to chronicle the fact, that both Messrs. Showalter and Howard voted against having a Chaplain.

Among the Mariposians in town is Tully, from Indian Gulch, and Mr. Howard's younger brother. Tully is going it "hark from the tombs" for Gwin, and Howard for a time was a candidate for Sergeant-at-Arms of the House, but abandoned the idea after electioneering a few days. Mr. Baer, the former editor of the *Democrat*, is also here electioneering for Latham.

The city is crowded with strangers, many of whom are runners and strikers for the different Senatorial aspirants.

The Governor's Message is regarded, as an able document. As yet, none of the State officers have submitted their reports. I have had the privilege of glancing at the Surveyor General's. It is a State paper of unusual statistical value and of considerable length.

Mr. Holden, of Stanislaus, has given notice of a Bill to increase the revenue of the State, and another to reduce the salary of the County Judge in Stanislaus. He proposes to increase the revenue by taxing the legal and medical men, for the privilege of practicing their professions. If the professional men about Mariposa are averse to such a law, they had better begin to prepare a remonstrance. If he would include all the men who are called Judges, Colonels and Generals, considerable revenue might be obtained.

From present indications, this session is likely to be as long as preceding ones. There is a large number of talking men in the House as well as in the Senate, and they must have their say upon all questions which arise.

The vicinage of the Capitol is well supplied with drinking houses, which are expected, by their proprietors, to add vastly to the law making power this win- The 3d department is not as well represented here as usual. Upon inquiry, I learn that whiskey and the Nicaraguan army, has carried off many of this class of *habitues*.

The Senatorial aspirants have each taken rooms in town, where they receive their friends. Nearly all the Federal officers in the State are here, manifesting the greatest anxiety lest the members will not vote right on the Senatorial question.

W. H. Rowntree is among the number having recently received the appointment of Inspector in the Custom House.

The members, generally, are sanctimonious looking fellows, and as yet have hardly had an opportunity of exhibiting the devil, if he is in them. Both Houses meet at 11, and adjourn about 2 o'clock.

The Press is pretty well represented here this winter. The fullest reports of the Senate, the coming winter, will be found in the *State Journal*, and in the House, in the *Union*. These papers have stenographic reporters.

W. B. Taylor, formerly of Mariposa, has published, in this city, the first number of a Temperance journal. It is a readable sheet, and destined to have a large circulation. The edition of the first number was upwards of 5000 copies.

FRONTIER.

The man who thought he could learn to make boots by swallowing sherry cobblers, has just got out a work in which he attempts to prove that by eating hops you will acquire a knowledge of the schottische.

Never, perhaps, are children dearer to their parents than when the price of flour and meat is excessive.

[WRITTEN FOR THE MARIPOSA GAZETTE.]

Specimens from "Surface Diggings."

NUMBER SIX.

Asa Trumps, the Short-Card Sharp.

BY SUGGS.

Among the many "cute fellows" whom a wholesome dread of laborious pursuits has driven to the necessity of living by their *wits*, perhaps there is no one who manages to do so lively a business, on a *small* capital, as Asa. A deck of cards and a smooth dollar, will set him up in business in any ordinary mining town.—Sometimes, however, in spite of his professional skill, luck will run against him, and to use his own expressive phraseology, he "slips up for his bottom dollar." But he soon manages to raise a stake without going to the trouble of earning it—a process of legerdemain known only to the initiated. His dress, habits and personal appearance, are sufficiently tinctured with the leaven of shabby gentility to distinguish him from the unfortunate class who have to work for an honest living—a *miserable set*, whom he looks upon with the most profound contempt. He drinks the best liquors—smokes the finest cigars—and boards at the best houses in town.—Knows who "sets the best table," or *ought* to, for he has "tried most of them on." His authority is unquestionable in such little etceteras, as well as in graver matters pertaining to *fighting men—fandangos*—fast horses and fast women. In games of chance, he is a little better authority than *Hoyle;* and in that particular branch, which includes short cards, any one who can beat him can win all his cash—besides numerous small articles of ornament, including a massive gold ring, a specimen pin, and a *six shooter*, providing that they are not already "*in soak*." But, as he often modestly asserts, "it isn't every one who can lay over him with those *documents*," and my advice to any person who is reckless enough to encounter him with his own weapons, is to watch him mighty closely, and *shuff—don't forget to shuff*. Asa is a pious believer in a Divinity, known among the ancients as "Fortune"—at the present day distinguished by the more modern name of *Luck*—believes this mythical personage to be a sort of trinity—consisting of Good Luck, Bad Luck and a *Perfect Streak*.—Can quote any number of ancient "*saws*," and cite California instances to match—all tending to show that "when a man is in *good* luck, he can't keep from winning"—that "when he is in *bad* luck, he can't take a trick at anything," and that when a "reg'lar Muggins gets in a *perfect streak*, the world can't beat him—"it is'nt in the *papes*."

THE CHARTER OAK.—The Hartford, Conn, *Times*, of November 8th, says:

Relics of this historic tree, in the form of canes, snuff-boxes, pieces of the wood, and even the acorn, and leaves, are now in the possession of, probably, more than ten thousand persons in various parts of America. The desire to possess these precious momentoes is still as great as ever, and the well known generosity and courtesy of the proprietor, the Hon. Isaac W. Stuart, have been severely taxed by the numerous demands made upon him by applicants for bits of the tree. Even on the day succeding the night of its fall, the noble old oak was surrounded by an eager crowd, all anxious to obtain some momento of the cherished object, and among them were persons from all the States but five in the Union. It may interest distant readers to know that the roots of the fallen tree "still live," and that on the top of the rugged stump itself, at a distance of about ten feet from the ground, a new shoot recently appeared, and grew to the length of some four inches; but we regret to be obliged to add that some soulless preson, undoubtedly one of the class which Mr. Stuart well denominates "skulking vandals," was guilty of tearing it in the night from the place where it grew. There are now two tiny and boubtful shoots just sprouting from the hoary old stup, and the projector has been at the expense of erecting around the honored relic a high picket fence, to protect it henceforth from plundering intruders. A national flag, draped in the emblems of mourning, still floats over the old stump. Among the applicants for relics was Mr. Moor, a member of the Canadian Parliament, who wanted a speciment of the old oak for Queen Victoria. His request was undoubtedly complied with.

THE HOTELS AT WASHINGTON.—One of the Washington Journals whose *attaches* are undoubtedly on the free list at the bars of the varions hotels—considers these hotels as the most splendid, convenient, luxurious and comfortable establishments in the world. Now, every one who travels to Washington, except the lobby members, pronounces them the meanest, dearest and dirtest establishments—almost without exception—in the world. It is not remarkable that the lobby members like the hotels. As agents for the corruption of Congressmen, the Washington hotels are about on a par with the disreputable female influence which the lobby sometimes finds so exceedingly effective.—*N. Y. Herald.*

"I HAVE brought you this bill until I am fairly sick and tired of it," said a collector to a creditor, upon whom he had called at least forty times. "You are, eh?" coolly rejoined the creditor. "Yes, I am," was the response. "Well, then, you had better not present it again.—There will be two of us pleased if you do not, for to tell the truth, I am sick and tired of seeing that identical bill myself.

New Phase of the "Goose Question."

A most laughable story is told by an English correspondent of the New York *Sunday Times* of what occurred a short time since on one of the railways running out of London. We thought that we were once witnesses and participators of a droll adventure on one of the New York railroads, when a lot of hungry and bloodthirsty Hungarian leeches, getting loose from a jar in which they were confined, spread themselves promiscuously over the lower limbs of the passengers, and commenced feeding to the great surprise and consternation of all; but the English story is far more ludicrous, and we intend spinning it out a little in our own way.

It seems that in a four passenger car on a London railroad, there were two travelers on the occasion in question. One was a civil, quiet, modest, well-behaved gentleman; the other, who sat opposite him, was a lady, "fat, fair and forty," who was also of modest mein and conduct. The train had hardly commenced moving when the lady jumped up, and with a crimson flush on her countenance, exclaimed:

"How dare you!"

"Dare what?" said the gentleman in astonishment.

"Insult me in that manner," continued the lady, still swelling with indignation.

"I am not aware that I have insulted you in any way, form, or manner," retorted the gentleman, innocence and inquiry depicted in every lineament of his countenance.

"Well, don't touch me again," continued the the lady; "if you do, I'll call the guard."

The gentleman sat marvelling, but silent, wondering what strange conceit had got into his fellow-traveller's head, when suddenly she sprang up a second time, and in a fresh burst of indignation broke out with:

"I'll not stand such impertinence and insult, I'm a decent married woman, and your conduct is insufferable."

"But, my dear madam, what upon earth has got into your head? What do you mean?"

"I mean that I will not be insulted. You mistake my character, sir, if you think I'll put up with such impudence. You're an impertinent, good for nothing puppy, that's what you are," and with flashing eyes she resumed her seat.

The gentleman was still wondering at the strange conduct of the lady, totally unconscious that he had given her the least cause of offence, when she suddenly started up a third time with the ejaculation—

"Keep your hands to yourself! If my husband were here he'd pitch you out of the window. I'll have you arrested the moment the cars stop! Keep your hands off, I say!"

"What hands? You talk like a crazy women, and I believe you are insane," was the reponse of the bewildered gentleman.

"Let go of my legs!" broke out the lady jumping up again, and this time in a perfect frenzy of passion.

"I don't know anything about your legs—never touched them in my life—never want to touch them. You're as crazy as Bedlam—you're a candidate for the first lunatic asylum on the road—and I'll have you arrested the moment the cars stop," put in the gentleman with honest indignation.

"And I'll have you arrested for taking improper liberties with me," responded the lady, an equal amount of virtuous excitement manifested in her countenance.

In five minutes more the train stopped, there was a violent letting down of windows in the car occupied by the two enraged passengers, and a loud duet of cries or shouts of "conductor!" "guard!" "anybody!" "everybody!" "this way!" followed from the twain.

"What's the matter?" queried the anxious conductor, as he poked his head into the car in haste.

"This woman is as crazy as a loon—mad as a March hare—take her out!" said the gentleman.

"And this man *has been pinching my legs* all the way from London, the impudent scamp!" retorted the lady, glaring furiously in his face.

A quiet smile came over the face of the conductor as he remarked that he thought he could explain the matter at issue!—And reaching his hand under the lady's seat, he drew out a live goose, which he had placed there a few moments before the train started, not supposing that the car would be occupied. The legs of the aquatic fowl had been tied all the while, but he had free use of his head and bill, and had been amusing himself by pecking away at the lower limbs of the lady. We think that this may well be called a new phase, if not a settler of the vexed "goose question."

NOW LIVING.—A cotemporary says that the boy is now living who will be President of the Republic in 1900. What his name is, or where he resides, he does not stop to inform us. He may at this moment be gathering pumpkins in Oregon, or peddling pop corn around Troy. Daniel Webster once made "a new suit of satinett" by selling catfish a shilling a string. Wherever he may be all unconscious of his high destiny, he feels the divinity that stars within him, and grasps his book, thirsting for knowledge. His parents as they answer his endless queries, rejoicing at his developing intellect, yet little dreaming that his will be a great name among men, known wide as the world.

Or, perhaps, the hard hand of poverty, or the cold hand of orphanage, are moulding and training him for the patient effort, that self reliance and resolute will, that fit him for great achievements. He must pass through the school that prepares him for his high career. In his youth many a trial and wrong must break him to the hardness of life. In his manhood many hardships must be endured, many obstacles overcome and rivals outstripped in the race; the voice of envy and detraction despised; and hatred and malice defied.

Through such a school and training the President of 1900 will doubtless come, and is now coming. But from what condition of life, from what part of our broad land no one can predict or know, but Providence, who presides over destinies of all nations.—*Rochester American.*

Mariposa Gazette.

INDEPENDENTIN ALL THINGS—NEUTRAL IN NOTHING.

L. A. HOLMES,
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FRIDAY MORNING.....JAN. 16.

Upon our outside, our readers will find interesting correspondence from Sacramento.

Also another of the "Specimens of Surface Diggings," by "*Suggs*," done in his inimitable style. *Our* "Suggs" is on the high road to distinction. We see his specimens in most of our exchanges.

Senatorial Election.

Broderick is at length elected; after a four years struggle, he has obtained the object of his ambition: that of a seat in the Senate of the United States for six years from the 4th of March next.

For four years he has labored for this one object with an indomitable perseverance against difficulties and an opposition which would have disheartened any other man. But perseverance has accomplished the object, and he now holds the most responsible position which this State is able to confer. He has had to contend not only against an opposite party, but against bitter enemies in his own, who have heaped up abuse and villification upon him unsparingly and without reason, we believe, farther than those reasons which may be stated in opposition to the claims and acts of aspiring politicians, who, for political advancement and pecuniary advantage, have been the curse of this State.

We would prefer another man, of different political sentiments; but we can't have him; and as it is, we say yea and amen to the election of Mr. Broderick. We are not at all sure that he is not as good a man, or the best, for that position, in that party. He certainly is deserving at their hands, for he has probably done more for the success of the Democratic party in this State during the last five years, than any five men in it. If any feel sore at the result, it should be a branch of that party who were in a majority in '54, and who showed such uncompromising hostility to the man of their present choice—these are the men, who, by their recent action in electing him, have swallowed horns and all—that which they then said, who should have their regrets. We are bound now to believe that Mr. Broderick was then grossly slandered, and the attacks upon his private as well as upon his political character, were not correct; else how is he elected? Was he the embodiment of corruption, as has been represented by his own party, surely, Democracy, which knows no baseness, and is not to be appalled or compromised, and several other things, according to the San Joaquin *Republican*, would not have acknowledged him to be the embodiment of these principles, honest and capable besides, and have elected him to his present position. It may be said that Mr. Broderick has bought, sold, traded and corrupted Democrats—but this won't do, for they imbued, as of course they are, with the high and holy principles of Democracy, are incorruptible—this must be so. We must consider Mr. Broderick a pure and spotless, much-abused man, by his election. We hope Mr. Latham will be the other Senator, and if he is, we are entirely satisfied under the circumstances.

P. S. Just as we were going to press, we received another letter from our correspondent in Sacramento, announcing the nomination of Dr. Gwin for the short term.

FREMONT'S TAX OF 1855.—Palmer *vs.* Boling, Sheriff—This case was heard at the October Term of the Supreme Court, and the Court rendered its opinion confirming the judgment of the Hon. E. Burke, Judge of this District, dissolving the injunction which was served on the Sheriff, restraining him from selling the Fremont claim for the taxes of 1855.—And we are informed that at the close of the Term, a new hearing was granted, which will be decided at the January Term now in session.

To collect this tax, this county has been to an expense already of over fifteen hundred dollars. This *re-hearing* by the Supreme Court is, in our opinion, equivalent to a revision of its former decision, as well as of that of Judge Burke.

QUARTERLY MEETING.—The first Quarterly Meeting of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, for the present Conference year, will commence in the Church at this place, on Saturday evening next. Rev. R. W. BIGHAM, Presiding Elder, is expected to be present.

THEATRICALS.—We are informed that we are soon to have Dramatical Entertainments in this highly favored town—that a company of performers, "stars" mostly, we expect, are *en route* for this place.—Human nature, the passions and various other things, are to be shown up and exposed in a course of high tragedy and comedy. For these great favors to the community, they principally ask only *smiles* and *encouragement* to sustain them in their arduous labors and in the great work they have begun.

We have no objection and would be glad to be visited by a company of players who individually deserve the name, and collectively are in a condition to perform creditably; and show merit enough to draw a fair house after the first night. But, from such companies as many are, who are strolling over the country, composed of the "supes" of Theatres below—broken down, dissipated, dilapidated fourth rate actors—accompanied by a sickly female or two—the Lord deliver us. We have'nt had many theatricals here, but we have had enough of this kind; who leave to the community the satisfaction alone which is generally felt after being gulled and imposed upon.—Newspapers are more to blame for the existence of these nuisances than all else put together. Instead of properly exposing the character of the performance and *telling the truth*, which should be done in justice to the community, the contrary course is taken and the truth *not* told; and all done for a good advertisement, a few hundred bills and free tickets, and thus these unmitigated humbugs are passed from one community to another, with fair fame by the direct agency of editors.

It is painful to witness the operations upon the stage of some of these "stars," particularly when they are in the *country*. Such mouthings and distortion! How he'll talk to his honeycompunch about the Lake of Como! and how he will manifest himself as his "innards" are racked by contending emotions! He evidently considers himself astonishing, (and is not so far out of the way in that opinion, either;) and if a few gawkeys somewhere in the house, stamp and make a noise, our actor instantly appears "with an *overflowing* heart," too full altogether to permit him to exercise the functions of speech to any great degree, arising from "such a favorable reception." All he asks, is their "sympathy and support," and like an old maid in labor, requires to be told very often that they are doing uncommonly well. Generally attached to the troupe, is some female who can *wobble* a few worn out *himes*, and dance so as to make a *show*, such as the tepsichorean goddess never dreamed of.

We hope to be spared such inflictions in the future, and if a company can't come qualified and in condition to perform, we say don't come at all, and oblige the public.

Mining.

Within the last two weeks, Mr. Poole has taken out of Eldorado Gulch, near Hornitas, about $4,000. One piece of quartz and gold was obtained worth $1,200.

A specimen was taken out of the Mono diggings, the past week, by a Mr. Cook, worth $70. Their claim averages $10 per day per hand.

Quartz is now being crushed at the Mono Mill, taken from a vein near the head of Saxon's Creek, which pays $130 per ton. At least the last lot of rock crushed, which was several tons, paid that amount.

We are informed that miners at Indian Gulch are doing uncommonly well. The Ditch which they at that place had the enterprise to construct from Bear Creek, is now running a fair supply of water, and as a consequence they are prosperous.

A new quartz mill is shortly to be finished upon Bear Creek, a short distance below the junction of Corbett's Creek.—It will be a water mill, and can run, in ordinary seasons, six months in the year.

NEW DITCH.—A good sized ditch is now being built to take water from the Mariposa to Buckeye, by the Appling Brothers. It will be finished in two months, and will be of great advantage to the miners in that section of the county between Guadaloupe and Mormon Bar.—This is a first rate mining region, and would have been dug up long ago but for want of water.

INQUIRY.—Where is *Luncheater*, our correspondent in Sacramento two weeks since, who wrote one letter? We fear an attack of the paralysis, or laziness, has prostrated our friend. Who is that Mariposian about to take a rib in Sacramento? That's what we want to know, in order to call a meeting of the *calathumpian band*, preparatory to the return of that individual. We do not expect any letters from Mariposians in Sacramento, however much they may promise. Not a line from the delegation in the Legislature was received last winter, and we presume none will be this.

P. S. Since the above was in type, we have received an interesting letter from *Luncheater*, which will be found in another column.

FRONTIER.—Without wishing to burthen you, we much desire your letters, and as often as is possibly consistent with your other business. The letters are valuable to us, and for past favors please accept our thanks.

THANKS.—The Agents for Wells, Fargo & Co. and Pacific Expresses, will accept our thanks for numerous favors.

California Society of Natural History.

We acknowledge the receipt of the circular of the "California Society of Natural History," an association recently formed in Stockton for the developement of the natural history of this State, and particularly that of the Southern mines. The particular objects for which the society was formed, as indicated by their circular, are to receive,

1st. A collection of the specimens necessary for a Geological Cabinet, from every portion of the Southern Mines.

2d. The collection of specimens in the Animal Kingdom—beasts, birds, fishes, shells, reptiles, insects, &c.

3d. The collection of a Library of scientific, historical and agricultural works.

4th. The collection of Botanical specimens, embracing agricultural products, the various plants, woods, flowers, seeds, fruits, &c., belonging to this department.

5th. Exchanges of specimens with other scientific associations and individuals, throughout the world.

6th. Public lectures and scientific publications on different subjects.

Prominent citizens of Stockton have been elected officers of the association, and much interest is apparently felt there and should be throughout this county for its success. Should such an interest be felt, a very rare and valuable collection of specimens of the mineral and animal kingdoms could shortly be made. This county could contribute more largely at least of minerals, than any other in this State, we believe, while of animal and botanical specimens, we have as many as any other county can boast of. A little interest upon the part of the community, turned to proper account by collecting specimens, will place Mariposa county as one of the foremost in rarities of the mineral, animal and vegetable kingdoms.

Dr. Thomas Payne has been appointed to act as agent in Mariposa for collecting subscriptions and specimens; contributions of either will be thankfully received and forwarded. The State Fair will occur at Stockton the coming autumn, and it is desirable that the collections should be as full and complete as possible at that time. We will refer to this matter hereafter.

HUNTING EXTRAORDINARY.—A friend of ours who is something of a Nimrod, recently went forth into the mountains above Coulterville determined to exterminate grizzleys and other small game which might be so unfortunate as to fall in his way. After a long travel in the woods for naught, the crunching of dead chapparel and a rustling of leaves, announced his vicinity to prey: of course a grizzley. Getting a partial view of the beast, he raised his rifle and fired. A loud grunt of agony was immediately heard, which caused our valorous hero to drop his rifle and "git." After drawing his six shooter and running himself out of wind, he concluded to turn round to see if his "inimy" was coming, when lo! he discovered at some distance, going in another direction, an *old sow*, travelling as rapidly as the nature of her wounds would permit, endeavoring to escape from so *dangerous* a neighborhood. Our friend shouldered his gun and left, but the thing was *so* good he had to tell it. We are not permitted to give his name, but if any body wants to find it out, they can ask Lovely Rogers, Supervisor of Mariposa County. *He* knows.

ELECTION FOR OFFICERS OF THE HOOK AND LADDER COMPANY.—At a regular meeting of the Mariposa Hook and Ladder Company, held at Theatre Hall, on Monday evening, the following gentlemen were re-elected officers of the Company for the ensuing year: Hugh Dimond, Foreman; J. B. Condon, 1st Assistant; Joseph Blumenthal, 2d Assistant; J. D. Crippen, Treasurer, and J. G. Read, Secretary.

The Company is in good condition; money in the treasury; officers of the right stamp, active and energetic. Some improvement might be made as regards their apparatus and the means of getting it to fires, which we hope they will make, and call upon the citizens to assist them pecuniarily for that purpose.

NOMINATION.—David C. Broderick was nominated for U. S. Senator for the long term (six years) by the Democrats of both branches of the Legislature, convened in secret caucus, on last Friday evening.—The contest was between Broderick and Weller. Upon the first vote the former received forty-two and the latter thirty-three. Messrs. Merritt, Showalter and Howard from this county voting for Weller.

MEXICAN AFFAIRS.—We learn, says the San Francisco *Town Talk*, that a special agent of the Mexican Government left this city a day or two since for Guymas, to put the authorities on their guard in regard to a fllibustering movement said to be organizing in this State against Sonora.

ROBBERY.—A camp was robbed near Split Rock Ferry, upon the road to Coulterville, on Saturday last. The owners of the camp were Americans, and had absented themselves, leaving their money in a comeatable place, where a thief could easily get it. The amount taken was not large. A man was arrested upon suspicion, but proof of his being the thief is much wanting, as we are informed.

OUR readers about Coulterville are referred to the advertisement of J. O. Bean, who has a new Store, a first rate stock of goods, &c. The Restaurant attached, and sleeping apartments, are worthy of the attention of all stopping in Coulterville.

[SACRAMENTO CORRESPONDENCE.]

SACRAMENTO, January 12, 1857.

Mr. Editor:—The morning following the nomination of King David, it is said Dr. Gwin suddenly rose up in bed, and inquired if the Earthquake had *struck* any body else. My feeble pen can't describe the intense excitement raging here. Five minutes after the nomination of Broderick was announced, the wires had carried the news to every town of importance in the State—and instantly the deep booming of cannon awoke the slumbering echoes of the mountains. One hundred guns were fired in this city, and the earth *did* quake—and if the dead did not rise from the grave, certainly others went down thereto.

Weller, Washington and Gwin are dead—and some say that "Chivalry" itself, has "cove" in. Who will be chosen to fill the short term in the Senate, is yet uncertain. It is said by the *quid nunes*, that Broderick has not yet determined who he will have for his colleague. It is the opinion of some, that Broderick, now that he has his own commission for six years, in his pocket, will support Latham. I doubt it; he will prefer one less ambitious—one who would more willingly play second fiddle to himself. If the delegation from your county, with Estelle and others who support Latham, but have very little love for Broderick, would go over to Gwin, he *might* be nominated—and if this be not done, Mr. B. will virtually select the man to serve with him, (or more properly as some think) *under* him, in the Senate of the United States.

Some that rejoiced at the late democratic victory, are now mum. The great democratic net was cast out far and wide, at the late election, and gathered in all manner of fishes—big fish and little fish—sharks and sturgeons—flounders—gars and lamper-eels; and Broderick is a whale—the draught is so large that there is danger of breaking the net. The "Black" Republicans are in ecstacies with the result. They say it was to accomplish this end, that so many of their party voted the democratic ticket.

The Governor's Message is well received by all.

Nothing has yet been done, towards the re-establishing of the State credit. 'Tis said they used State Bonds and Controllers Warrants for gun wadding at the Broderick demonstration.

I have some hope of our present Legislature. The Senate embraces more talent perhaps, than at any previous session:—and there is no little talent in the House. The session will be short, I think, and more economical than any previous one.

Send some of *us*, the *Gazette*, by Express, we seldom get it. We would not have seen those "Surface Diggings" if they had not been re-published by several journals in the State.

F. LUNCHEATER.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 12, 1857.

Mr. Editor:—The agony is over.—Gwin is nominated. Four thousand people are in and about the Orleans, alow and aloft. Fire-works illuminate the heavens—and champagne flows like water. The Mariposa delegation adhered to Latham. To-morrow, Gwin will be elected, and the battle will be ended.

Broderick fought for Gwin's place until another vacancy occurred, he then graciously relinquished to Dr. Gwin the *short*, and took himself the *long* term.

No other business of any importance has been transacted to-day.

F. LUNCHEATER.

SINGULAR PHENOMENON.—We are informed, says the San Joaquin *Republican*, by a gentleman who was on a hunting excursion on Friday morning last, that he witnessed a very singular phenomenon, which he decribes about as follows: He was standing on the bank of one of the little lakes which are found in the tules, watching for ducks. All at once he heard a rustling in the water, resembling the noise that would be made by animals wading through a shoal. His attention being called to the peculiarity of the noise, he stood watching for a few moments, when a large swell came rolling and dashing violently against the shores, and in places running out over the plain to the distance of several hundred yards. The bank where our informant stood, was covered by the swell to the depth of two or three feet. The swell seemed to roll northward, as though the centrifugal motion of the earth had momentarily ceased. In a short time the waters settled back and again became placid. This phenomenon occurred in the morning, about the time the earthquake was felt in this city.

A NEWSPAPER.—It was Bishop Horner's own opinion that there was no better moralist than the newspaper. He says: The follies, vices, and consequent miseries of multitudes, displayed in a newspaper, are so many beacons continually burning to turn others from the rock on which they have been shipwrecked. What more powerful dissuasive from suspicion, jealousy, and anger than the story of our friend murdered by another in a duel? What caution more likely to be effective against gambling and profligacy than the mournful relation of an execution, or the fate of a despairing suicide? What finer lecture on the necessity of economy than the auctions of estates, houses and furniture? Only take a newspaper, and consider it well, pay for it, and it will instruct thee.

COUNTY SCRIP INCREASING IN VALUE.—Newcomb & Blumenthal have hung out their sign, to wit: that county scrip is received at their bar in payment for billiards and whiskey.

The Atlantic mail should arrive here to-morrow.

Exports from San Francisco During the Year 1856.

From the *Bulletin* of a recent date, we obtain the following accounts of exports from San Francisco during the year 1856, other than that of treasure:

To Sandwich Islands,	$249,302.55
" Mexico,	781,659.33
" Australia,	1,123,367.00
" China,	239,941.50
" Peru,	337,692.53
" New York,	1,113,500.00
" Other Ports,	425,652.03
Total value of exports,	$4,270,514.94

EXPORT OF QUICKSILVER.

The total number of flasks of quicksilver exported in 1856 was 23,740, of the value of $883,185.25.

The total amount of money paid on freights received in San Francisco from all parts of the world, during the year 1356, was, $4,592,104

Total freights paid in 1855,	4,044,514
" " " 1854,	5,311,012
" " " 1853,	11,751,084

THE CLIPPER FLEETS OF 1856.

The shortest passage made from New York during the year was by the clipper ship Sweepstakes, which arrived in May, in 94 days. The average length of passage in the year was 128 days. The average in 1855, was 134½ days.

The two shortest passages from Boston during the year were by the Ringleader and Electric Spark, both making the voyage in 106 days. The average length of passage during the year was 131 days.—In 1855, the average was 137½ days.

FROM PHILADELPHIA.—The number of arrivals from this port in 1856 was 7, and the average length of passage 137 days; the shortest time was made by the S. S. Bishop, which arrived in April, in 113 days.

PASSENGER LIST.

The following is a synopsis of the arrival and departure of passengers during the year 1856:

ARRIVED—Men,	20,940
Women	5,244
Children,	2,082
Total,	28,266
DEPARTED—Men,	20,909
Women,	1,348
Children,	646
Total,	22,903
Total Arrivals,	28,265
Total Departures.	22,903
Excess of Arrivals,	5,362

Thus it will be seen that the increase of our population from arrivals by sea, the past year, has been very small. The overland emigration was also light, and it is probable that our population, with this small increase, is not as effective as in the commencement of '56. The number of those born within the limits of this State the past year, must be considered satisfactory to those desiring to see reinforcements of mortality arrive upon the shores of time.

Difficulties which last year existed—anticipated troubles with Indians upon the plains—dangers of the Isthmus, and particularly of the Nicaragua route—and lastly, the state of affairs existing here, all tended to prevent emigration, which it did, doubtless, to a great extent. We trust this season will be more favorable.

EARTHQUAKE.—A slight shock of an earthquake occurred in the vicinity of San Francisco, on the morning of the 9th inst., at fifteen minutes past eight o'clock. The *Globe* says, the shock lasted about twenty seconds. The motion was undulating and ranged from North to South. From all that we can learn, the shock was most severe in the neighborhood of Happy Valley, where the people rushed out of doors, and a scene of general consternation prevailed for some minutes.—Those who experienced the shock were reminded of the earthquake which happened on the morning of the 15th of February last year.

The *Herald* of the 12th inst., learns from passengers by the steamer Senator, that the earthquake, on the 9th extended to the Southern coast, was the most alarming experienced for the last half century. In San Diego, Santa Barbara, Los Angeles and San Pedro, it was peculiarly severe, and continued for upwards of twenty minutes or a half an hour.—In all the places named, several houses were cracked—the people rushed out into the streets—but as most of the dwellings in that section of the country are one-story adobes, stoutly built, no injury to life ensued. From the representations made to us, we have not the slightest doubt that if the earthquake was as severe in this city as in the Southern portions of the State, San Francisco might possibly have been in ruins to-day. In San Diego, houses were thrown to the ground—moveables were scattered about in the wildest confusion, and for a time intense excitement prevailed.

THE PLANET MERCURY.—A correspondent of the Sacramento *Union*, says that he had the pleasure, on Thursday evening, of viewing the planet Mercury—an occurrence so rare that the celebrated astronomer Copernicus, is said never to have enjoyed it. It is the only bright star in the western horizon, on a direct line with the planets Jupiter, Venus and Mars, and can only be seen for a short time after sunset. Our clear nights, at this time, are rich in astronomical developments, the most brilliant constellations, the moon and all the planets, visible to the naked eye, being at once discernable.

The arms of a pretty girl wound tight around your neck has been discovered to be an infallible remedy in case of sore throat. It beats pepper all hollow.

NEW PAPER.—A new weekly literary paper, called the *Weekly Gleaner*, devoted to the interests of the Israelites, was to have made its first appearance in San Francisco on Sunday last.

Affection of Animals.

The following yarn is related by a friend of ours from the "Old Dominion:" He had a negro servant who was born and brought up, with a yoke of steers belonging to the plantation. In the fullness of time, one of the steers, who answered to the name of "Mark," refused to do duty any more, thereupon it was decided in council that "Mark" must fulfill the destiny of all four-footed bovines—that is, being released from labor till he "waxed fat," and then to be slaughtered and used as provender. This was done—and the sad remains of poor "Mark" were issued in the usual liberal rations to the negroes of the plantation, much to their joy, with the exception of *Romulus*, the negro who had grown with their growth and strengthened with their strength. He being tolerably sharp set, tried a mouthful of *Mark*—but it would'nt go down.

"Niggas," said he, "it's no use tryin—it's just like tryin to eat one ob de *folks*—dé more I chaws it, de bigger it gits, and it ain't gwine down—now I done said it. I'll see Massa Tom about it in de mornin, eh! eh! I'se no cannon ball."

"Hold on, Rom! hold on, nigga! No use speak to Massa Tom; de steer's done kilt, and us darkies bound to eat 'im.—Now, you just try another mouffull—you know I used to drive "old Mark," *some*. Now, jist open your bacon trap, while I fills it wid 'Mark.' *Hol' on*—dar you is, now. Wh-o-a, haw, gee! *Down, Mark!*"

Down went *Mark*—but, alas! Romulus never smiled again.

TEMPERANCE MIRROR.—A new monthly publication under the above title has recently been started at Sacramento, the first number of which is on our table.—It is edited by Wm. B. Taylor, formerly a resident of this place, and is devoted exclusively to the cause of temperance. It is beautifully printed, in a quarto form.

REMOVED.—Sturke's Furniture ware rooms, to the corner of Main and Sixth streets, Ashworth's building.

MARRIED,

At the residence of Mr. Charles Snelling, on the 15th inst., by the Rev. J. C. Johnson, Mr. CHARLES F. BROOMWORTH, Sheriff of Merced county, to Miss FRANCIS B. WHITE, of Snellingville.

GEORGE H. RHODES,
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE,
QUARTZBURG, MARIPOSA COUNTY.

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Township No. 3, County of Mariposa.
IN JUSTICE'S COURT.

The People of the State of California to BERTRAND PRATT.

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED to appear before me, one of the Justices of the Peace of the Township aforesaid, at my Office in Mariposa in, said County, on Saturday, the 17th day of January, 1857, at 10 o'clock, A. M., to answer the complaint of TOLSON & BROWN, in an action to recover money advanced for expenses in working mining claim, wherein the Plaintiffs claim the sum of $188 23.

And if you fail to appear and answer, the plaintiffs will take judgment against you for the sum of *One Hundred and Ninety Eight Dollars and twenty-three cents, and costs of suit.*

Given under my hand, this 9th day of January, 1857. ALFRED F. WASHBURN, J. P.

It is ordered that this Summons be published once a week, for four successive weeks, in the Mariposa Gazette.

Dated this 9th day of January, 1857.
ja16-4t ALFRED F. WASHBURN, J. P.

Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Firm of Neill & Co. was dissolved on the 7th of January, 1857. All persons indebted to said firm are requested to make payment within thirty days from date. Notes and accounts of those indebted may be found in the hands of J. S. Watts, Esq. In case of non compliance to settle within the time specified as above, suits will be instituted in every instance.

RUFFIN A. MOORE,
for NEILL & Co.
Mariposa, January 16, 1857. ja16-4t

Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Copartnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, in the Carpentering business, was dissolved by mutual consent, on the 5th day of January, 1857.

JOHN R. McCREADY,
WM. M. DAVIS.
Mariposa, January 16th, 1857. ja16-3t

Merced Mining Company.

AT a Meeting of the Directors held on the 31st of December, an assessment of two per cent was laid upon the Capital Stock, payable on the 5th of January, at the Office of Wainwright, Randall & Co., Brannan's Buildings, Montgomery Block, San Francisco. By order,

SMYTH CLARK,
Secretary and Agent, M. M. Co.
Mount Ophir, January 16, 1857. ja16-4t

STRAY MARE.

STRAYED from the subscriber at Mormon Bar, on the night of the 28th of December last, a medium sized White Mare, branded "G D P," on the left hip; no other brand perceivable. Has a white scaly nose, and the left eye is what may be termed a gloss color. Any information of the above mare will be thankfully received by J. D. Dickinson, on the Tuolumne River, or

C. S. PECK.
Mormon Bar, January 16, 1857. ja16-3t.

Notice to Ranchers.

A LIBERAL REWARD will be given to any person who will restore to their owner, at the Oak Spring House, 2½ miles from Mariposa, or give account of the whereabouts of a brown Texian Cow, white under the belly, with tolerable sharp horns, branded thus J-O (J. H. O.) Also, a red and white American Heifer, with a white head, and red spots over the eyes, not branded. Both are in very good condition, and will undoubtedly be found together. LEWIS H. P. SMITH.
Oak Spring House, January 16, 1847. ja16-tf

NEW STORE AT COULTERVILLE.

J. O. BEAN, Proprietor.

NOW AT THIS STORE, recently opened, in the first building above the City Hotel, may be found every description of DRY GOODS, GROCERIES,

PROVISIONS,
BOOTS AND SHOES,
WINES AND LIQUORS,
HARDWARE AND CUTLERY,
FANCY ARTICLES, etc., etc.

Goods will be sold LOW FOR CASH, and to their stock and prices the attention of the public is respectfully invited.

MR. M. B. MEHEGAN may be found at this establishment, where he would be happy to show attention to his friends and acquaintances.

RESTAURANT.

The public are also informed that a Restaurant has been opened in a building adjoining the above Store, at which meals are served up in the best manner. Lunches may be obtained at short notice.

SLEEPING ACCOMMODATIONS.—The upper stories of the buildings have been finished off and furnished as sleeping rooms. The best of Beds and conveniences of sleeping apartments have been provided.

☞ Confident in being able to give satisfaction to customers in each of the above branches of business, the proprietor hopes to receive a share of patronage.
Coulterville, January 16, 1857. ja16-3m

Mariposa Gazette.

Improvements in Mariposa.

☞ Dr. W. S. Kavanaugh's Steam Sawmill is undergoing a transformation into a Brewery. An upper story is added, where "ops" will be stored, and "Lager" bottled. The establishment will go by steam, as usual. The demand for this refreshing, fattening beverage is greater than the want of lumber—hence the new order of things.

☞ George Hayes dug out a stump yesterday, January 15th, 1857, in the upper part of Main street.

☞ Supervisor Gregory has repaired the bridge over the gulch, between McNamara & Crippen's and the Methodist Church; and communication between the upper and lower parts of the town is thereby preserved.

☞ Important to travelers who do not wear long boots—Boards have been laid across Main Street nearly opposite the Express offices, by some private but deserving man, and the passage may be more easily effected—care being taken in crossing not to encounter somebody going in an opposite direction.

☞ Several proprietors about town have put up posts, and attached rings thereto, and staples, to hitch horses the past week.

☞ Cohen, Samuels & Co. have put up a new sign, beautifully painted by Professor Marsh, whose shop is immediately opposite the Franklin House, where rich specimens of his painting can be seen at all times.

☞ We *bought* some splendid cigars at Cohn & Co.'s the other day.

☞ Charley Valentine has put glass eyes into the head of his stuffed California Lion Skin, which is a great improvement.

☞ We have got things fixed about our office so that we are not troubled by Hogs. Not being able to get his regular stealings, *that* black land pike of a Boar is getting thin in flesh.

☞ P. S. Another improvement, *special but temporary*, our credit is better about town than it has been for some time.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Special Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned particularly requests all persons indebted to the firm of D. White & Co., or White, Hatch & Co., to make immediate payment of the same, either at the Mill at Millville, or in Mariposa, where he will be nearly every day. And all those who will meet him and comply with the above request will be met with a hearty welcome—and those that do not will not be assured of saving cost.

G. GREEN, Agent.

Mariposa, January 7, 1857. ja9-tf

Mariposa Female Seminary.

THE FIRST TERM FOR 1857, will commence on the 8th of January next.

BOARD can be obtained in families for children, where they will be properly cared for, at reasonable prices.

MRS. M. E. STEWART.

Mariposa, Dec. 26, 1856. d26-3t

SPECIAL NOTICE.

DEBTORS TO SULLIVAN & CO. are informed that their term of probation is out with the expiration of the present year, the sands of which are nearly run. Prior to the 1st of January *settlements must be effected*. A word to the wise, &c.

Mariposa, Dec. 19, 1856. d19-3t

NOTICE.

THE subscriber, Proprietor of the Union House, would politely but earnestly request his customers to settle their accounts and PAY UP the old year's indebtedness. Those to whom he is indebted are requested to present their accounts immediately for liquidation.

F. WILLIAMS.

Mariposa, January 2, 1857. jy2-tf

NOTICE.

J. M. VANDYKE intends to close up his business in Mariposa, and requests all persons who are indebted to him, to call and settle their accounts—by so doing they will confer an everlasting obligation.

☞ N. B. Also, all parties to whom I am indebted, are particularly requested to present their bills.

Yours, &c. J. M. VANDYKE.

Mariposa, November 12, 1856. no12-tf.

F. AND A. M.

Mariposa Lodge No. 24.

REGULAR MEETINGS—The last Saturday before each full moon. SPECIAL Meetings, second saturday thereafter.

m30-1y JOHN N. MOORE, Secretary.

I. O. of O. F.

THE Regular Meetings of Mariposa Lodge, No. 39 I. O. of O. F., will hereafter be held on Saturday night of each week.

GEO. A. HAYES, R. S.

Mariposa, December 10, 1856. d10-tf

$20 REWARD.

STRAYED from Indian Gulch on December 12th 1856, a small white Horse mule, with a Spanish brand on the near hip. Also, a brown Mare Mule, white ring around her neck, caused by a rope, brands not recollected. Any person finding them and delivering them to J. A. Morton, at Indian Gulch, will receive the above reward.

CHARLES HALL.

Indian Gulch, Jan. 9, 1857. ja9-4t

Private Sale of Valuable Real Estate.

THE undersigned, wishing to return next spring to the Atlantic States, offers for sale FIVE LOTS IN THE TOWN OF MARIPOSA, just opposite the Court House. Each Lot has a front of fifty feet, with a depth of One Hundred and twenty feet; two fronting on Bullion street, and three on Charles. On the premises is a small Dwelling House, with a Kitchen attached. This property is the most eligible in that part of Mariposa. The whole will be sold VERY LOW FOR CASH.

CHARLES DOYLE.

Mormon Bar, January 9, 1856. ja9-4t

Billiard Table for Sale.

SAID TABLE is second hand, but is in excellent order, and will be sold low. Enquire of

J. B. PECK, Agent of Wells, Fargo & Co.

La Grange, January 6, 1857. ja9-3t

WILLIAM CROCKER,

TEACHER OF

VOCAL AND INSTRUMENTAL

MUSIC.

MR. CROCKER will attend Pupils at their residences, or at his rooms in the Franklin House.

He will give instructions upon the Piano, Guitar, Violin, Flute and other instruments.

Mr. C. may always be found at his rooms, or at the Saloon of Mr. Vining.

Mariposa, January 2, 1857. jy2-tf

New Advertisements.

To Whom it may Concern.

I, MARY E. STUART, the wife of J. H. Stuart, and of the County of Mariposa, in the State of California, hereby declare that I intend to avail myself of the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of said State, entitled "An Act to authorize married women to transact business in their own names as sole Traders," passed April 12, 1852. And I intend to carry on the business of keeping a Private School, and also a general Carpentering business, in my own name and on my own account, as a sole trader, and in the County of Mariposa. And I shall from this date be individually responsible, in my own name, for all debts contracted by me on account of said business and trade. And I further declare that the amount invested in said business, &c., is less than five thousand dollars.

MRS. M. E. STUART.

Mariposa, January 3, 1857.

State of California, County of Mariposa, SS.

THIS DAY, before me, a Notary Public of said County, personally appeared MARY E. STUART, well known to me to be the person described in, and who executed the foregoing instrument, and declared that she executed the same freely and voluntarily, and for the uses and purposes therein mentioned—and that she intended to carry on the said business therein mentioned, as a sole trader, by virtue of the law therein referred to.

[L. S.] In testimony whereof, I have signed my name, and affixed my official seal, the day and year above written.

THOMAS W. LONG, Notary Public.

Mariposa, January 3, 1857. jan9-3m

HOTEL INTERNATIONAL.

SAN FRANCISCO.

Jackson Street, Near Montgomery.

THIS magnificent Mansion has been leased for a term of years by

MRS. A. S. HALEY,

is now undergoing a thorough repair, when it will be furnished entire with new Furniture, and opened to the public on Christmas, the 25th instant, with the best Table and most cleanly House on the Pacific.

Board, with lodging, from $2 to $3 per day.

Our motto—WE STRIVE TO PLEASE. Jan2-3m

MIDWIFE.

THE undersigned, a graduate of the Medical College of Lausanne, Switzerland, offers her services as Midwife, to the Ladies of Mariposa County.

Residence at B. Bonnet's Store Carson's Creek.

LOUISE RAPIN.

Carson's Creek, January 2, 1857. jy2-3m

To all whom it may Concern!

ALL persons doing business in the County of Mariposa, for which they are required to obtain License, are hereby notified to take out or renew the same by the fifteenth day of January, 1857, or their names will be handed over to the District Attorney.

WM. A. KING, County Treasurer.

Mariposa, December 26, 1856. d26-3t

NOTICE.

THE Partnership heretofore existing under the name and style of Revery & White, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 1st day of December, 1856. All persons indebted to the concern are requested to call and settle up their accounts. John Revery will be found at the old stand.

JOHN REVERY,
LEWIS WHITE.

Coulterville, Dec. 20, 1856. d26-3t

Constable's Sale.

BY virtue of an Execution issued out of Justice A. F. Washburn's Court, of Township No. 3, county of Mariposa, to me directed, in favor of Pedro Canes, and against Doña Tule Molina, I have seized and shall expose for sale at Public Auction, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., on Saturday, the 17th day of January, A. D. 1857, at the Court House, in the Town of Mariposa, the following described property, to wit: One House and Lot, situated in the Village of Agua Frio, and now occupied by the said Doña Tule Molina as a residence, and situated near the premises now owned and occupied by said plaintiff.

S. STERLING, Constable, Township No. 3.

Mariposa, December 26, 1856. d26td

FRANKLIN HOUSE,

RE-OPENED!

G. W. WARNER, Proprietor.

THE ABOVE HOTEL has recently been Refurnished in a style inferior to none in this vicinity, and is now open for the reception and entertainment of the public.

TRAVELERS may be assured of superior accommodations, and particular attention upon the part of those connected with the establishment.

THE TABLE.

BOARDERS will find the TABLE spread with the luxuries of the season, and in a manner to satisfy the most fastidious.

THE BAR.

Will at all times be furnished with the best of WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS. An experienced Bar keeper will be in attendance.

☞ A. N. FISHER & Co.'s LINE OF STAGES stop here; and information will be given of different routes of travel, and of localities in this section of the country, to which the attention of the public is respectfully invited.

Mariposa, December 26, 1856. de26-tf

IMPORTANT

To the People on the River!

WE HAVE ESTABLISHED A LARGE STORE IN BEAR VALLEY, where the best assortment of

DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, BOOTS, BLANKETS, &c., &c.

will always be kept; together with the FINEST LOT OF GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHING GOODS, ever brought to the Valley.

☞ We will sell CHEAP, and hope to receive a liberal patronage.

B. OPPENHEIM & CO.

December 3, 1856. d3-tf

BAKERY

CONFECTIONARY,

....AND....

COFFEE STAND!

Main Street, Mariposa, adjoining the El Dorado Saloon.

THE proprietors of the above establishment would respectfully inform the citizens of Mariposa and the public generally, that they have established themselves in the above business, and are now prepared to supply all who may favor them with a call, with

The Best Bread and Confectionaries.

Connected with the above business, they have fitted up a COFFEE SALOON, where can be had at all hours THE VERY BEST COFFEE.

WEDDING PARTIES AND BALLS furnished at the shortest possible notice, and on reasonable terms.

They solicit a share of public patronage.

L. KNOBLE,
G. KRAFFT.

Mariposa, December 3, 1856. d3-tf

FRUIT TREES, VINES, &C.

AT THE BUCKEYE GARDEN.

THE UNDERSIGNED has just received at his Garden on Buckey, (five miles from Mariposa,) from San Jose, VINES AND ROOTS of great variety, together with FRUIT TREES of every description, consisting in part of APPLE, PEAR, PEACH, FIG, APRICOT, and CHERRY TREES; STRAWBERRY VINES, GOOSEBERRY BUSHES, ROSE BUSHES, variety, ARTICHOKES, etc.

S. ROUTHIER.

Buckey Creek, December 10, 1856. d10-1m

LAGER BEER SALOON.

BUCHENAU & WEBBER, PROPRIETORS.

First Door below the French Store, Main Street

MARIPOSA.

THE BAR is constantly supplied with the very best of "LAGER," and LIQUORS of every description.

COFFEE AND REFRESHMENTS served at all hours. no26-tf

HORNITAS

Stove and Tin Shop!

JACOB KOCHER..................PROPRIETOR.

HAS on hand a large stock of STOVES and TINWARE and STOVE FURNITURE.

All kinds of JOB WORK connected with the above business, done to order, with despatch and in a workmanlike manner.

People in Hornitas, Quartzburg, and in Merced county, will please take notice. Articles will be sold for Cash at a small advance on San Francisco prices.

Hornitas, November 25, 1856. no26-3m

Miscellaneous.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY'S LINE.

FOR N. YORK AND NEW ORLEANS,

VIA PANAMA.

DEPARTURE FROM VALLEJO STREET WHARF.

The favorite Steamship

GOLDEN GATE,

Will leave Vallejo Street Wharf with the U. States Mails, Passengers and Treasure, For PANAMA, ON TUESDAY..................JANUARY 20, 1857. AT 9 O'CLOCK, A. M.

Passengers by this Line are landed on their arrival at Panama upon the Wharf at the Railroad terminus, by the Company's Steam Ferry Boat, and proceed immediately

By Railroad Across the Isthmus to Aspinwall.

Where there is always a Steamer waiting their arrival.

According to arrangements now completed, Passengers arriving at Panama in the morning, invariably leave Aspinwall for New York and New Orleans in the afternoon of the same day, thus affording Regularity in the through trip; a safe, pleasant and expeditious Transit from Ocean to Ocean.

THROUGH TICKETS

Are furnished, including the transit of the Isthmus.

☞ Treasure for shipment will be received on board the Steamer, until 12 o'clock midnight, previous to the day of sailing.

☞ No Merchandise freight will be received on board after 3 P. M., 4th inst., and a written order must be procured at the Company's office for its shipment.

For freight or passage, apply to

FORBES & BABCOCK, Agents,
Corner of Sacramento and Leidesdorff sts.

A choice of berths on the Atlantic steamers is secured by the early purchase of tickets in San Francisco. aug 1 tf.

NEW SALOON!

EL DORADO BUILDING,

MAIN STREET, MARIPOSA.

LEROY VINING :::::: PROPRIETOR.

THIS building, recently enlarged and improved, is now open for the entertainment of the public. The first floor is occupied as a

Billiard and Drinking Saloon!

BILLIARD TABLES of the most approved make are used, and the Bar is supplied with the best qualities of Liquors and Cigars.

A PIANO has been introduced into the establishment, which, together with other instruments, will furnish music every evening.

Adjoining the Saloon is the Coffee and Refreshment Room of Knoble & Kraft.

The Upper part of the Building

IS A HALL, 30 FEET BY 80, and fitted for Balls, Concerts and Theatrical entertainments. It being centrally situated, as well as its large size, there are inducements for its occupation for either of the above purposes, superior to any other in Mariposa. It is to be had upon reasonable terms, at all times. Attached to the Hall are the conveniences of Ante-Rooms.

Those visiting Mariposa occasionally, giving Concerts, Theatricals &c., will please notice.

Mariposa, December 3, 1856. d3-tf

MARIPOSA

DRUG STORE!

A. D. BOYCE, Agent.

THE UNDERSIGNED is constantly receiving accessions to his stock of PURE MEDICINES AND CHEMICALS, Foreign and Domestic, to which he respectfully invites the attention of Physicians and the public generally.

Besides a full assortment of the standard articles, his stock comprises

All the Latest and Best Family and Patent Preparations.

Including Pareira's Italian Remedy; Flower of the West, a certain cure for Chills and Fever; Osgood's India Cholagogue; Ayres' Cherry Pectoral; All the best preparations of Sarsaparilla.

Shaker's Herbs, Garden Seeds and Extracts,

☞ FRESH AS CAN BE PROCURED. ☜

PRESCRIPTIONS CAREFULLY PREPARED AT ALL HOURS.

DR. PAYNE, a Physician of twenty years standing, has an Office in the building, and will be always ready to attend to those who may require his services.

☞ The undersigned has also opened a similar establishment in

HORNITAS,

To which he will give his undivided attention, both in dispensing and prescribing medicines for the afflicted—and where the same advantages can be enjoyed.

HIS STOCK will compare favorably with that of any portion of the mining region.

A. D. BOYCE, AGENT.

Mariposa, December 3, 1856. d3-tf

WHITTIER'S HOTEL!

Agua Frio, Mariposa Co.

THIS HOTEL is now open for the reception of the public, the accommodations of which are not inferior to those of any Hotel in the County.

THE TABLE will be spread with the best, the market affords.

THE BAR is stocked with the choicest of Liquors and Cigars.

A BILLIARD TABLE is attached to the establishment, which is one of the best tables in the County.

A STABLE is likewise attached to the House, and careful attention will be given to the wants of animals, by an experienced hostler.

JOSEPH H. WHITTIER, Proprietor.

Agua Frio, December 2, 1856. d3-tf

FOR SALE OR TO RENT.

THAT DESIRABLE AND WELL KNOWN ESTABLISHMENT, THE WASHINGTON HALL, on Main street, Mariposa, together with the entire Furniture, Beds, Bedding, Cooking utensils, Bar Fixtures, &c., &c. The House is well adapted for a Boarding House, having sufficient accommodation for thirty or forty persons; also, an excellent Oven, with all the fixtures belonging to same. Attached is a splendid Stable, a fine roomy Cellar, and all other conveniences, which make it the most desirable property in town. It will be rented to a good tenant on reasonable terms, or sold cheap, and payment taken to suit the times.

For further particulars, apply to Mr. JOHN BARNETT, or at the Store of MacDERMOTT & CO.

Mariposa, December 10, 1856. d10-tf

OAK HOTEL AT MILLERTON!

M'CRAY & CO.

THE PROPRIETORS would announce to the public that they have recently completed new and extensive additions to their HOTEL, and are now prepared to accommodate guests in every particular. To their former establishment has been added a LARGE STONE BUILDING, furnished and fitted with whatever of conveniences a long experience in Hotel keeping could suggest.

Polite attention will at all times be given to the requirements of travelers and patrons.

Livery Stable.

The Proprietors also keep in connection with the above Hotel, a Livery Stable, where they have at all times HORSES TO LET, UNDER THE SADDLE, OR IN HARNESS, with Carriages and Buggies.

ANIMALS KEPT by the day, week or month, upon reasonable terms, and cared for as required by an experienced hostler.

ANIMALS RECEIVED AT ALL HOURS—day or night, upon application at the Stable, or at the Hotel.

Millerton, December 2, 1856. d3-tf

EXPRESS SALOON!

Main Street, Hornitas.

OFFICE OF THE OPPOSITION STAGE;
OFFICE OF THE PACIFIC EXPRESS.

☞ The best of LIQUORS and CIGARS to be found at the Bar.

HENRY SKELTON.

Hornitas, Nov. 25, 1856. no26-3m

Notice to Creditors.

ALL those indebted to the undersigned, recently engaged in the Butchering Business, are requested to make a settlement prior to the 1st of January. By so doing, trouble and costs will be avoided.

M. SMITH.

Mariposa, Dec 19, 1856. d19-3t

Miscellaneous.

REMOVAL.

B. OPPENHEIM & CO.

NEW ORLEANS STORE!

HAVE REMOVED TO

THEIR NEW BUILDING

ONE DOOR BELOW SMITH'S BEEF MARKET.

WE wish to inform our friends and the public in general that we have on hand and are constantly receiving at our store, a very fine and complete assortment of

CLOTHING, FANCY AND STAPLE

DRY GOODS,

Consisting in part of

Ladies' Dress Goods, Fine Silks, Shoes, Hosiery, Gloves, &c., &c.

GENT'S FINE COATS AND PANTS

Water-Proof Clothing,

Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, Trunks, Valises, &c. &c.,

Colt's Revolvers, Cutlery, &c.

We have established a Store in Bear Valley, where a fine stock of DRY GOODS and CLOTHING will always be kept, and sold very reasonable for Cash.

B. OPPENHEIM & CO.

Mariposa, October 22, 1856. oc22-tf

NEW ESTABLISHMENT!!

H. BECKMAN,

WATCHMAKER,

AND

JEWELER,

Main Street, Mariposa, Opposite the El Dorado Restaurant, and two doors North of Mr. Vining's Saloon.

☞ THE PROPRIETOR PAYS PARTICULAR ATTENTION TO REPAIRING WATCHES AND JEWELRY, etc.

Fine Gold Watches,

And a general assortment of JEWELRY, constantly on hand and for sale.

☞ Mr. BECKHAM respectfully invites the public to give him a call.

☞ WATCHES REPAIRED ON THE SHORTEST NOTICE.

Mariposa Nov. 19, 1856. no19-3m.

DAGUERREOTYPES!!

DR. HUBBELL & CO.

ARE PREPARED TO TAKE DAGUERREOTYPES and AMBROTYPES at all times, in accordance with the latest improvements in the art.

Office first door below Merritt & Deering's Law Office.

SADDLERY

..AND..

HARNESS SHOP.

M. GOODMAN, & CO.

THE proprietors are prepared to execute every description of work in the above line of business. The best of leather for the manufacture of *HARNESS, SADDLE LEATHER, &c.* always on hand.

SADDLE TREES

of the most approved patterns, kept and for sale, and will be fitted up to suit the taste of purchasers.

GOODMAN & HUBBELL,

GUN SMITHS,

At the old stand of J. N. Thomas.

GUNS RE-STOCKED, REPAIRED IN EVERY PART AND IN THE BEST MANNER.

MR. GOODMAN will devote particular attention to the

Re-Cutting and Re-Sighting of Rifles,

and from much experience in this line he is enabled to guarantee satisfaction.

PISTOLS of every description, and SHOT GUNS repaired at short notice, and work warranted.

Mariposa, Nov. 19, 1856. no19-3m

LUMBER! LUMBER!!

VAN CAMPEN & Co.'s

New Steam Saw Mill!

Situated upon Saxton's Creek, Four and a half Miles from the Upper Crossing of the Mariposa.

THE proprietors of this Mill are prepared to furnish LUMBER IN ANY QUANTITY, and of all qualities, in any part of the County, or at the Mill, as cheap as can be procured at any similar establishment in this vicinity.

☞ A large amount of Lumber is constantly on hand. Particular attention paid to orders.

☞ The country about the Mill abounds with the very best of SUGAR PINE, and those wanting EXTRA LUMBER for any particular purpose, would do well to examine their facilities for furnishing it.

VAN CAMPEN & CO.

Saxton's Creek, November 26, 1856. no26-tf

LUMBER! LUMBER!!

New Steam Saw Mill!

A. McNEILL, Proprietor.

THIS MILL is located upon the head of the North Fork of the Chouchillis, eight miles from Mariposa, and is surrounded by the best timbered country between the Merced and San Joaquin Rivers.

LUMBER

Of all dimensions Sawed to order, out of the best of Sugar Pine Timber, much of which is entirely clear.

A large stock of all kinds of Lumber kept constantly on hand at their Lumber Yard, which will be sold low for Cash, or delivered in any accessible part of the Country.

Those wanting large lots of lumber, are particularly requested to examine their facilities for furnishing it, of superior quality at a low price.

Road to the Mill.

A ROAD has been recently built from Mariposa, by the way of Mormon Bar to their Mill, over which a load may be drawn as large as can be taken from Mariposa to any point below.

TEAMSTERS are informed that in the immediate vicinity of the Mill is excellent Grass, and Hay and Barley may be obtained at the Storehouse of the Company. A share of patronage is solicited.

Summit Valley, Nov. 26, 1856. no26-tf

JOHN A. HORNNEBER............HENRY LESMAN

LAGER BEER SALOON!

MAIN STREET, MARIPOSA.

(Next Door to the Brick Store of Cohen, Samuels & Co.)

THE SUBSCRIBERS RESPECTFULLY inform the public that they have opened the above Saloon, and intend keeping constantly on hand the best quality of

San Francisco Lager Beer!

Together with the very best

WINES AND LIQUORS.

Also—CIGARS, the best that can be obtained in the San Francisco Market.

Their Saloon is fitted up in good style, and every attention will be paid to the accommodation of customers.

HORNBER & LESMAN.

Mariposa, Nov. 26, 1856. no26-3m.

COMBS'

BILLIARD SALOON!

HORNITAS, SOUTH SIDE OF THE PLAZA.

THIS SALOON is fitted up with every convenience. An excellent BILLIARD TABLE, and the Bar is furnished with the best of Liquors and Cigars.

Hornitas, Nov. 25, 1856. no26-3m

Miscellaneous.

TO THE PUBLIC!

YOUR ATTENTION IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED TO THE PRESENT PRICES OF GOODS, NOW SELLING BY

SULLIVAN & CO.,

Main Street, Mariposa.

WE have recently opened a branch of our house in SAN FRANCISCO, through which we now receive our supplies direct from

New York and Boston.

By this arrangement we are enabled to sell you goods at

SAN FRANCISCO COST,

Freight added. We would respectfully solicit you to give us a call, and examine our STOCK and PRICES, previous to purchasing elsewhere, as we are determined to sell (FOR CASH) LOWER than any other House in this section of country.

P. S.—All orders entrusted to us, will be promptly attended to, and weights and measures guaranteed correct.

The same advantages are to be had at our Store at

COULTERSVILLE,

Maxwell's Creek.

m17-tf

C. F. MacDERMOT, C. KERRINS, D. BRIEN.

Main Street, Mariposa, and Saxton's Creek,

Have recently associated together as a trading firm, under the name of

MacDERMOT & CO.,

FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONDUCTING A

Wholesale and Retail Business in Groceries and Provisions,

SUPERIOR OLD

Wines & Liquors,

of the choicest brands;

HAVANA AND AMERICAN CIGARS,

Clothing, Boots and Shoes;

DUCKS DRILLS AND BLANKETS;

MINING TOOLS, &c.,

AND A GENERAL

ASSORTMENT OF HARDWARE.

We would respectfully inform our friends and the public, that one of the firm will remain constantly in San Francisco, for the purpose of purchasing and forwarding goods, and by this arrangement we will be enabled to sell goods AS LOW AS ANY OTHER HOUSE in the Southern Mines—FOR CASH.

☞ QUICK SALES AND SMALL PROFITS. ☜

Call and examine our stock and prices before purchasing elsewhere.

Mariposa, July 4, 1856. jy4-tf

REMOVAL.

JAS. M. VANDYKE,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

French Wines and Liquors,

HAS REMOVED

To his New Building, corner of Main and Fourth sts

MARIPOSA.

Where he will keep constantly on hand a large assortment of

PURE OLD FRENCH,

And other

Brandies, Wines, Ale, Porter,

And other Liquors.

HAVANA AND AMERICAN CIGARS

Of the Choicest Brands.

All of which being selected with great care in San Francisco, will be found superior to any in market.

☞ The attention of the Medical Profession is called to his stock of FINE OLD COGNAC, PORT and SHERRY WINES, in bottles—an excellent article for invalids.

☞ Retail Dealers, and lovers of Good Liquors, are invited to call and examine for themselves.

Mariposa, December 10, 1856. d10tf

[REMOVAL.]

Wholesale and Retail

DRY GOODS

—AND—

CLOTHING ESTABLISHMENT,

MARIPOSA.

Cohen, Samuels & Co.,

Have Removed to their New Fire Proof Brick Building, a few Doors North of their old Store.

The undersigned beg leave to inform the citizens of Mariposa and vicinity, that we have opened and will always keep on hand a large assortment of

SILKS, EMBROIDERIES,

STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS

LADIES, MISSES AND CHILDRENS'

SHOES, GAITERS AND SLIPPERS

Also, a full assortment of finest and best

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS

And a good supply of

MINERS' CLOTHING:

Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, which we offer for sale at the lowest market prices to those who will favor us with their patronage. We respectfully invite the Ladies and Gentlemen to call at our Store and examine our Goods before purchasing elsewhere, as it will be no trouble to show goods, so call and see. COHEN, SAMUELS & CO.

N. B. Gold Dust taken in exchange at the highest prices.

P. S. We have established a store at Agua Frio, where the same kind of goods will be sold, and the same advantages afforded to purchasers as in Mariposa. C. S. & Co. sep17-tf

UNION HOTEL.

BOYCE & EAVES.................PROPRIETORS.

Hornitas, nearly opposite the Plaza.

THIS HOTEL has recently been fitted and furnished entirely with NEW FURNITURE, BEDS and conveniences necessary to the accommodation of the public.

THE TABLE will at all times be supplied with the best the market affords.

THE CHOICEST WINES AND LIQUORS can always be obtained at the Bar.

The entire attention of the Proprietors may be relied upon for the comfort and welfare of their guests.

Hornitas, November 25, 1856. no26 3m.

[ESTABLISHED IN 1849.]

QUARTZ SPECIMENS,

MIXED WITH GOLD,

ARE BOUGHT BY US AT FROM 5 TO 50 PER CENT ABOVE THE MINT VALUE.

WE ARE THE INVENTORS of the art of manufacturing QUARTZ JEWELRY, and our stock is the largest and richest in the State. Call on us, all you gentlemen who intend visiting San Francisco, you are welcome to examine our goods whether you come to purchase or not.

WE SELL WATCHES AND JEWELRY, finer and cheaper than any other California establishment, for the reason that one of our firm is always in Europe, having the best goods made to order, which he continues to forward by every steamer. And as we buy for cash, we can afford to sell at the lowest New York prices.

BARRETT & SHERWOOD.

☞ 135 Montgomery street, between Clay and Commercial, San Francisco.

N. B. Orders sent by Express, filled promptly. Particular attention to Watches sent us for repair.

sep24-3m.

San Francisco Advertisments.

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READ! READ!! READ!!!



DR. PAREIRAS'

Great Italian Remedy!

FOR THE CERTAIN AND SPEEDY CURE OF DISEASES OF A PRIVATE NATURE, NO MATTER HOW LONG STANDING, WITHOUT ANY INJURIOUS EFFECT TO THE SYSTEM, OR ANY CHANGE OF DIET.

IT HAS NEVER FAILED—IT CANNOT FAIL TO CURE!

It has borne the test of

FIFTY YEARS,

and has never yet failed to

EFFECT A CURE IN EVERY CASE!

☞ Beware of Quack Nostrums, and use a Medicine that has proved itself the only

Infallible Remedy

ON THE EARTH!

THIS GREAT REMEDY IS WARRANTED PURELY VEGETABLE.

D. BABCOCK,

77 Davis Street, between Clay and Washington Streets San Francisco,

General Agent for Pacific Coast, Oregon and Sandwich Islands.

☞ For sale also by Druggists throughout California and the Atlantic States.

☞ DR. A. D. BOYCE, Agent for Mariposa and Hornitas. jan16-3m

GOODWIN & CO.,

119, FRONT STREET,

OFFER FOR SALE,

50 HHDS EXTRA CLEAR BACON—150 TIERCES SUGAR CURED HAMS.
200 cases Jewell, Harrison & Co's Leaf Lard;
150 hf bbls Clear Pork;
250 firkins Goshen Butter;
50 drums Codfish;
106 hf bbls Mackerel;
1,000 mats China No. 1 Sugar;
250 bbls Crushed Sugar;
200 hf bbls Crushed Sugar;
300 bbls and hf bbls Powdered and Granulated Sugar;
25 hhds New Orleans Sugar;
600 bbls and hf bbls N. O. Sugar;
500 kegs Seth Adams and East Boston Syrup;
100 bbls Seth Adams and East Boston Syrup;
500 bags Green Rio Coffee;
350 bags Costa Rica Coffee;
100 cases W. H. Bovee's Ground Coffee;
50 tcs Carolina head Rice;
100 bbls Carolina Head Rice;
1,000 mats China No. 1 Rice;
1,000 bxs Colgate's and Hill's No. 1 Soap;
500 bxs Kendall's C. O. Soap;
100 bxs Castile Soap;
500 bxs Colgate's Pearl Starch;
100 cases Humblin Baker & Co's Oysters;
150 cases assorted brands Oysters;
100 cases Lobsters;
100 cases fresh Peaches;
200 cases Brandy Peaches;
100 cases fresh Pine Apples;
100 cases fresh Strawberries;
50 cases Green Gages;
100 cases assorted Jams;
200 cases assorted Jellies;
100 cases assorted Preserves and Fruit;
50 cases Green Corn;
100 cases fresh Apples;
75 cases fresh Brandy Cherries;
50 cases fresh Tomatoes;
150 cases English Pie Fruit;
200 cases American Pie Fruit;
300 cases Tomato Catsup;
150 cases Pepper Sauce;
200 cases Pickles, half gallon jars;
300 cases Pickles, quart bottles;
200 kegs Pickles, 10, 5 and 3 gallons each;
75 cases Preston & Merrill's Yeast Powders;
20 cases Babbitt's celebrated Yeast Powders;
100 cases Roast Chicken and Turkey;
300 cases, 1 lb cans, Gunpowder and Imperial Tea;
300 boxes 6 lbs each, Gunpowder and Imperial Tea;
150 cases 1 and 2 lb cans, Young Hyson Tea;
25 chests extra Gunpowder and Imperial Tea, in bulk;
50 chests extra Hyson and Young Hyson Tea;
250 chests Oolong Tea, in ¼ and ½ lb papers;
100 boxes English Breakfast Tea, 25 lbs each;
25 cases "Our Jewel" Tobacco;
200 cases Peach, Fruit and Our Own Tobacco;
100 gross Excelsior Fine-Cut Tobacco;
100 gross smoking Tobacco;
200 cases Ground Pepper, ¼ lb glass;
100 bags Pepper in grain;
150 cases Ginger, ¼ lb glass;
100 cases Pimento, ¼ lb glass;
75 cases Cinnamon, ¼ lb glass;
100 cases Mustard, ¼ lb glass;
100 cases Cream Tartar, ¼ lb glass;
300 boxes Babbitt's Cream Tartar, 1 lb papers;
200 boxes Saleratus, 1 lb bottles;
100 boxes Saleratus, 1 lb papers;
500 boxes Grant's Candles;
600 boxes Thaine's Candles;
100 boxes Wax Candles in cartoons;
100 cases Salt, 10 lb bags;
125 cases Salt, 5 lb bags;
50 cases Salt, 20 lb bags;
100 dozen Brooms;
200 cases Sweet Oil;
150 cases Honey, 2 lb tins;

San Francisco, Nov. 19, 1856. no19-tf

Paper Hangings and Carpets!

JUST RECEIVED—Per late arrivals, by FRANK BAKER, 110 and 112 Clay street—

800 cases Paper Hangings, French and American, every variety;
6000 rolls French and American Borders;
800 ps Tapestry Velvet Carpet;
625 ps Tapestry Brussels Carpet;
230 ps Three Ply Carpet;
800 ps Superfine Ingrain Carpets;
350 ps Extra fine Ingrain Carpets;
200 ps Cotton and wool Carpets;
125 ps Stair Carpets, assorted;
275 ps Bay State Druggets;
800 ps Oil Cloths, assorted;
125 ps Silk Damask and Brocatelle;
800 ps Cotton and worsted Damask;
4000 pair Window shades;
375 pair Lace curtains;
750 pair Muslin Curtains;
8000 Cornices and Curtain bands;
225 dozen Matts, assorted;
Stair Rods, Table Covers, Gimps, Fringes, &c.
Wholesale and Retail, by

FRANK BAKER.

sep24-3m San Francisco, 110 and 112 Clay street.

NOTICE.

TO UP COUNTRY TRADERS.

WM. C. PAYNE,

[Formerly of the firm of Payne & Co. Fine Gold gulch.]

TAKES this method of informing his friends of Mariposa County and elsewhere, that he has located himself in San Francisco, and intends to devote his time entirely to

Buying Goods on Commission,

for up country dealers. All orders will receive prompt attention. The goods will be selected with care and shipped under his personal supervision.—Having had several years experience in trading in the mines and purchasing goods in this market, he feels confident that he can give satisfaction to those who favor him with their orders for goods.

☞ His Office is at No. 102 Front Street, 2d floor, to which place all communications intended for him should be addressed.

San Francisco, August 27, 1856. au29-tf.

The Eyes! The Eyes!!

DR. E. H. PARDEE, OCULIST.

AFTER a protracted blindness of more than five years, DR. PARDEE has made himself thoroughly and scientifically acquainted with all disorders of the Eye, and is now practicing, with universal success, the same treatment by which he was cured.

A WORD OF CAUTION—The Eye is by far too precious and delicate an organ to be trifled with or made the subject of random experiments; therefore it would be exceedingly unwise, and perhaps dangerous, to accept any of the "Never-Failing Cures" that are tendered by the mistaken kindness of all around, for every one offers a specific for diseases of the eye.

☞ Many patients can be seen daily at the office of DR. PARDEE, in different stages of recovery.

OFFICE—San Francisco, west of the Plaza, opposite the Post Office, one door north of the Portsmouth House' up stairs. sep1-tf

Miscellaneous.

UPPER SHERLOCK'S STORE!

JOHN HIGMAN, PROPRIETOR,

HAS ON HAND A LARGE assortment of goods in common use, consisting in part of

Provisions, Groceries, Liquors

CLOTHING, BOOTS AND SHOES,

A General Assortment of

The Best Liquors, &c.

☞ In connexion with his establishment, Mr. H. has a STABLE in which animals will be carefully attended to.

A share of patronage is respectfully solicited.
Sherlock's, October 15, 1856. oc15-tf

READ'S EXCHANGE, SALES, ..AND.. LIVERY STABLE!

MAIN STREET, MARIPOSA.

THE PROPRIETOR WOULD ANNOUNCE that in addition to his former accommodations, he has leased the Stable recently occupied by MANN & BROTHERS, and is prepared to accommodate the public in every respect.

Horses Bought and Sold.

HORSES KEPT BY THE DAY WEEK OR MONTH.

Horses to Let in any Number,

Many of which are suitable for Ladies' use.

☞ PARTIES FOR YO HAMITE VALLEY can be accommodated in every particular.

☞ THE STABLES are under the immediate supervision of the Proprietor, who will spare no pains to give satisfaction.

☞ THESE STABLES are situated near the Yo Hamite Hotel, and nearly opposite the Saloon of Blumenthal & Newcomb.

Mariposa, September 12, 1856 s12-tf.

LIVERY STABLE!

HORNITAS.

WHITE & BLACK.

THE subscribers have recently erected a large and commodious Stable in a convenient and central location, and are prepared to accommodate the public in every particular relating to the above business.

HORSES TO LET,

☞ HORSES KEPT ANY TIME DESIRED. ☜

The Stable is under the personal superintendence of one of the members of the firm, and careful attention will at all times be given to business.

BLACK & WHITE, Proprietors.

N. B. In connection with the above business, we have a LUMBER YARD, where a variety of Lumber may always be found. We are also prepared to take contracts for building, furnishing materials, &c.
aug29-tf W. & B.

Coulterville Livery Stable.

THOMAS SCOTT, PROPRIETOR.

THIS STABLE has recently been built, and is complete in all its arrangements. An Hostler second to none, in charge; and who will give careful attention to animals left at this place. A large number of

Saddle Horses to Let.

☞ Parties going to Yo Hamite Valley may be sure of accommodation in this respect.

☞ STABLING for Horses at all times, and on reasonable terms. Sep5-tf

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TAILORING.

CLOTHING MADE TO ORDDR.

VANDYKE'S LOG BUILDING,

Next door to the El Dorado Restaurant, Mariposa.

ALEXANDER GEDDES, (better known as Red Jack.) has commenced the TAILORING BUSINESS in all its branches in Mariposa; and respectfully solicits a liberal share of the public patronage.

CLOTHING MADE AND REPAIRED in the best style and at the shortest notice.

His prices will be moderate, and his work warranted to please.

Mariposa, October 15, 1856. oc15-3m.

TAILORING.

NEW ETABLISHMENT!

Main Street, Mariposa,

Next door to J. M. Vandyke's, and immediately Opposite Dr. Grandvoinet's.

AM FAEBUCH, RESPECTFULLY announces to the citizens of Mariposa and vicinity, that he has commenced the TAILORING BUSINESS in all its various branches.

CLOTHING MADE TO ORDER, according to the latest Fashions, and WARRANTED TO FIT.

CLOTHES REPAIRED AND CLEANED at the shortest notice.

SEWING of every description done in good style.

☞ PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES.

Mariposa, October 15, 1856. oc15-3m

YO HAMITE.

THE ROAD TO YO HAMITE VALLEY BEING NOW finished, the undersigned would announce that they have obtained a Charter and a privilege of collecting Toll from the Board of Supervisors of Mariposa County. Said Charter extends for the term of twenty years; and the rates of Toll established for the present are as follows:

FOR EACH MAN OR LADY MOUNTED, GOING AND RETURNING.....$4 00

FOR FOOTMEN, GOING AND RETURNING.....2 00

Animals can be obtained at our Stable, and the personal assistance of one of our firm, as a conductor at all times if desired.

MANN BROTHERS.

Mariposa, August 8, 1856. au8tf

NOTICE.

THE Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name and style of Bean, Pike & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All persons owing said firm, are hereby required to pay the same to Greely, Hewey & Co. The business will hereafter be conducted by said firm.

JOHN O. BEAN,
JACOB M. PIKE,
URIAH NELSON,
JOHN WHITING.

Coulterville, October 15, 1856. oc22-3m

A. M. GILLMAN, & CO.,

IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC

WINES AND LIQUORS,

No. 82, Front Street, near corner of Clay Street,

SAN FRANCISCO.

J. E. RUGGLES, late of the firm of Ruggles & Nudd, Stockton, may be found at the above place.

San Francisco, July 22, 1856. jy25tf.

PIONEER FURNITURE WAREROOMS.

Established 1850.

No. 115 and 117 California street, San Francisco
Corner of K and Fourth streets, Sac. City.

Geo. O. Whitney & Co.

HAVE ON HAND

AND ARE CONSTANTLY RECEIVING BY EVERY ARRIVAL FROM

NEW YORK AND BOSTON,

Large additions to their already extensive Stock of

FURNITURE,

Which they offer at Wholesale and Retail at the Lowest Market Prices.

Our motto is QUICK SALES AND SMALL PROFITS.

The public are respectfully invited to call and examine our stock and prices before purchasing elsewhere. Orders solicited from the country to which particular attention is paid to suit in quality and price. sep24-3m.

San Francisco Advertisments.

DR. L. J. CZAPKAY'S

GRAND MEDICAL & SURGICAL INSTITUTE.



ARMORY HALL BUILDING,

Corner of Montgomery and Sacramento sts., San Francisco.

Established for the Permanent Cure of all Private and Chronic Diseases, and the suppression of quackery.

Dr. L. J. CZAPKAY, late in the Hungarian Revolutionary War, Chief Physician to the 20th Regiment of Honveds, Chief Surgeon to the Military Hospital of Pesth, Hungary, and late Lecturer on diseases of Urinary Organs and Diseases of Women and Children has opened his institute for the cure of all forms of private diseases, such as syphilis, gonorrhœa, nocturnal emissions, and all the consequences of self-abuse. In the first stages of syphilitic or gonorrhœal diseases, he guarantees a cure in a few days, without inconvenience to the patient or hindrance to his business. When a patient, by neglect or improper treatment, has developed the symptoms of secondary syphilis, such as buboes, or painful swellings of the groins, or ulcers in the throat or nose, which if not checked, destroy the soft parts and cause the bones to mortify, separate and come away, leaving the sufferer heidous to behold; or when splotches and pimples break out upon the skin, or when he has painful swellings upon the bones, or when his constitution is injured so as to predispose to consumption or constitutional disease, the Doctor guarantees a cure or asks no compensation.

In rheumatism, chronic or acute, in dysentery or diarrhœa, he has safe and effectual remedies. For the treatment of the consequences of self-abuse, such as nocturnal emissions, nervousness, timidity, headache, pains in the back and limbs, with general weakness, loss of appetite, loss of memory, injury to the sight, restlessness, confusion of ideas, dislike for society, and a feeling of weariness of life, with the nervous system so excitable that slight noises shock or startle the patient, making his existence miserable. For the above maladies the Doctor will guarantee a cure or ask no compensation. He can be consulted free of charge, and invites all to call, as it will cost them nothing, and may be much to their advantage.

A Tribute to Merited Worth.

☞ A TESTIMONIAL RICHLY MERITED.—The ingratitude of man to his fellow man is so often met with in life, that testimonials, prompted by the finer feelings of the heart, are oasis in the life of those who sacrifice their best days in philanthropic devotion to the alleviation of the ills of frail mortality. Empiricism floods the columns of our press with fraudulent and fictitious letters; singing peans to the worth of their own egotistical charlatanism. Below we append a letter from a worthy man, who, a brief period since, seemed destined to "shuffle off this mortal coil;" who looked forward to his dissolution with that pleasure which only those weighed down by the heavy hand of disease can. Contrary to hope, the ability of a skillful physician has restored him to his former health. Relieved from his terrible situation, and impelled by gratitude, he makes known his case and remedial agent, and his statement is authenticated by a Notary Public. The demands of society imperiously command its publicity; and it is given more to warn the unwary than to sound the praises of a physician of whom scores of like cases can be cited:

CERTIFICATE.

The undersigned, desirous of acquainting those who may be unfortunate enough to be similarly afflicted, where a permanent relief of their sufferings may be obtained, feels it his duty to thus publicly express his most sincere gratitude to Dr. L. J. Czapkay for the permanent recovery of his health. Borne down by the distressing symptoms incident to the vicious practice of uncontrollable passion in youth; depressed in body and mind; unable to perform even the most trifling duty imposed upon the daily avocations of life, I sought the advice of many physicians, who at first regarded my disease of trifling importance—but alas! after a few weeks, and in several instances months, of their treatment, I found to my unutterable horror, that instead of relief, the symptoms became more alarming in their torture; and being told by one that my disease being principally confined to the brain, medicines would be of little consequence, I despaired of ever regaining my health, strength and energy, and as a last resort and with but a faint hope, called upon Dr. Czapkay, who after examining my case, prescribed some medicine which almost instantly relieved me of the dull pain and dizziness in my head. Encouraged by this result, I resolved to place myself immediately under his care, and by a strict obedience to all his directions and advice, my head became clear, my ideas collected; the constant pain in my back and groins; the weakness of my limbs; the nervous reaction of my whole body on the slightest alarm or excitement; the misanthropy and evil forebodings; the self-distrust and want of confidence in others, the incapability to study, and want of resolution; the frightful, exciting, and at times pleasurable dreams at night, followed by involuntary discharges, have all disappeared; and in fact, in two months after having consulted the Doctor, I felt as if inspired by a new life—that life which but a short time ago I contemplated to end by my own hand.

With a view to guard the unfortunate from falling into the snares of incompetent quacks, I deem it my duty to offer this testimony to the merit and skill of Dr. Czapkay, and recommend him to all who may stand in need of medical advice, being assured, by my own experience, that under his care a radical and permanent cure will be effected. B. F. FILLMORE.

State of California, County of San Francisco. Subscribed and sworn before me, this 17th day of April, 1856. (Signed) JOHN MIDDLETON, [L. S.] Notary Public.

A CARD.—I the undersigned, having been under the treatment of Dr. L. J. Czapkay, although unsolicited, feel called upon to give publicity to the efficacy of his treatment, hoping that by doing so I may be instrumental in preventing others from the fearful suffering and misery which I experienced, and which so often result from the pernicious practices of pretenders. My disease has been that of Physical and mental debility, which follows in consequence of the indiscretion in youth. The agonies which I endured are, perhaps, unnecessary for me to detail, they are known to those who have experienced them. Suffice it to say, that having called the services of Dr. L. J. Czapkay in requisition, all my expectations which I may have formed of him were more than realized. I would therefore recommend Dr. Czapkay to all who may find themselves afflicted with that dreadful malady, my object in so doing being sympathy for suffering humanity, and a heartfelt desire of relieving them.

D. J. DAHLEE, Printer,

State of California, City and County of San Francisco, ss.—On this thirty-first day of July, A. D. 1856, before me, Wm. C. Jewett, Notary Public, personally appeared D. J. Dahlee, known to me, who, being duly sworn, did depose and say, that the contents of the card herewith signed by him is true.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed my official seal, the day and year first above written. WM. C. JEWETT,
[L. S.] Notary Public.

Greatest Discovery of the Age.

GREAT BLESSING TO MANKIND!—Innocent but potent! Dr. L. J. Czapkay's Prophilacticum, (self-disinfecting agent,) a sure preventive against gonorrhœal and syphilitic diseases, and an unsurpassed remedy for venerial, scrofulous, gangrenous and cancerous ulcers, fœtid discharges from the vagina, uterus and urethra, and all cutaneous eruptions and diseases. As innoculation is a preventive against small-pox, so is Dr. L. J. Czapkay's Prophilacticum a preventive against syphilitic and gonorrhœal diseases. Although harmless in itself, it possesses the power of chemically destroying the syphilitic virus, and thereby saving thousands from being infected by the most loathsome of all diseases. Let no young man who appreciates health be without Dr. Czapkay's Prophilacticum. It is in very convenient packages, and will be found convenient to use, being used as a soap. Price $5. For sale at Dr. Czapkay's Private Medical and Surgical Institute, Armory Hall, corner of Montgomery and Sacramento streets, San Francisco.

All orders must be addressed to L. J. Czapkay, M. D., San Francisco, California.

Spermatorrhœa.

OR local weakness, nervous debility, low spirits, lassitude, weakness of the limbs or back, indisposition and incapability for labor and study, dullness of apprehension, loss of memory, aversion to society, love of solitude, timidity, self-distrust, dizziness, headache, involuntary discharges, pains in the side, affections of the eyes, pimples on the face sexual and other infirmities in man, are cured without fail by the justly celebrated physician and surgeon, L. J. Czapkay. His method of curing diseases is new, (unknown to others,) and hence the great success. All consultations, (by letter or otherwise) free. Address L. J. Czapkay, M. D., San Francisco, California.

☞ Dr. L. J. CZAPKAY'S Medical and Surgical Institute is at the corner of Montgomery and Sacramento streets, San Francisco, California. The Doctor offers free consultation, and asks no remuneration unless he effects a cure. nov1-3m.

GEORGE E. GARDNER,

BOOKS AND STATIONERY,

Periodical and Newspaper Depot.

PACIFIC EXPRESS BUILDING, CHARLES STREET
MARIPOSA.

Miscellaneous.

Variety Store, ...AND.... OLD CURIOSITY SHOP!!

Main Street, Opposite Phillips' Hotel,

MARIPOSA.

Where can be found all sorts of useful and ornamental articles, not to be found in any other store in the County, consisting of the largest and best selected stock of
HARDWARE,
CARPENTERS' TOOLS,
BOOKS, STATIONERY,
GARDEN SEEDS,
FINE SADDLERY
WINDOW GLASS & SASH,
BUILDERS' MATERIALS, &c.,
ever offered for sale in this town.

—ALSO—

PRIME CHEWING TOBACCO, AND GENUINE HAVANA CIGARS,

received direct from a member of our firm now in Havana, who is constantly providing the best brands. Together with a fine assortment of FANCY ARTICLES, PERFUMERY, LOOKING-GLASSES, WALL PAPER, HOLYDAY TOYS, PAINTS, OILS, TURPENTINE, PUTTY, BRUSHES, BURNING FLUID, LAMP OIL, and MUSIC AND MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS!

—ALSO—

Lamp Chimneys,	Shoe Knives,
Sand Paper,	Candlesticks,
Writing Paper,	Playing Cards,
Knives and Forks,	Butcher Knives,
Horse Combs and Brushes,	Screws and Hooks,
Brass Butts, Chisels,	Gaugers, Awls,
Saw Files, Latches,	Tap Bores, Gimblets,
Fausets, Files and Chisels,	Locks, Hasps, Staples,
Marking Gauges,	Screw Drivers,
Hammers, Compasses,	Pincers, Paper Cutters,
Divisors,	Butts.

And a thousand other articles, too numerous to mention, all of which we offer at *San Francisco Prices*, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL, FOR CASH!

Call and be supplied.
jy12-tf N. COHN & CO.

GREESMAN & COHN, Cigar and Tobacco Store, Wholesale, 88 Sacramento street, San Francisco.—Stock received direct from Havana. July 12-tf

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NEW TOBACCO, CIGAR, —AND— VARIETY STORE!

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

Opposite Cashman's New Store.

The undersigned will keep constantly on hand and will be constantly receiving every article imaginable almost, and finest kind of

Cigars and Tobacco

in particular.

Fancy articles of every description will always be found upon the shelves of this establishment.

"A Thousand and One" would be the lowest figure that could be stopped at, were an enumeration of the great variety of goods composing our stock attempted.

We will mention a few of the leading articles—
BOOKS and STATIONERY,
HOLYDAY TOYS,
WALL PAPER,
GARDEN SEEDS,
HARDWARE,
&c., &c.

All kinds of FRUIT, NUTS, CONFECTIONARY and FANCY ARTICLES.

—ALSO—

PERFUMERY

of every description.

A share of public patronage is respectfully solicited.
nov1-tf NEAL & McGRANN

SADDLERY ESTABLISHMENT

....OF....

Westfall & DeForris,

Main Street, Mariposa, between Fourth and Fifth Streets.

HAVE on hand every discription of Saddlery, Harness, Bridles, Reins, Saddle Trees, &c., manufactured. Material constantly on hand necessary to the manufacture of all articles in the above mentioned line of business.

Repairing done at short notice, and in the best manner.

They have also, on hand, a lot of Groceries, Preserved Meats, all of which will be sold low.

Mariposa, March 13th, 1856. m13-3m

NEW BILLIARD SALOON.

THE UNDERSIGNED having commenced the above business in the fine and spacious new House lately erected on Main street, opposite the Southern Hotel, would respectfully solicit the patronage of their friends and the public generally in and about Mariposa, for which they guarantee the

BEST LIQUORS!

....AND....

Billiards upon the most Superb Tables

To be found in the Southern mines.

That an establishment of this kind, well arranged and splendidly fitted up, has long been a want in this section of the country, all are well aware, and it is now hoped from the comfort and elegance of our Saloon, and our long acquaintance in Mariposa county, that we will receive the encouragement of the public. BLUMENTHAL & NEWCOMB.

☞ OUR BAR ☜

is stocked with pure and choice LIQUORS, and the best HAVANA CIGARS. m16-tf

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J. A. HENRY,

BUTCHER

And Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

PROVISIONS, LIQUORS AND CLOTHING.

Miners and others are requested to call and examine for themselves before purchasing elsewhere. Nov. 1-tf.

A. W. Jee's Store!

Mormon Bar, at the Junction of Mariposa and Stockton Creeks.

THE Subscriber has on hand a complete assortment of PROVISIONS, GROCERIES, LIQUORS, AND MINING TOOLS

Also various descriptions of useful articles, which he offers for sale at the market price.

ARTHUR W. JEE.
o20-tf Mormon Bar, Mariposa Creek

E. S. HOLDEN,

Importer, Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

ENGLISH, FRENCH AND AMERICAN DRUGS, MEDICINES, AND CHEMICALS.

PAINTS, OILS, VARNISHES, DYE STUFFS, Glass, Putty, Glue, Sand Paper, Paint, Camel's Hair and Whitewash Brushes; Cloth, Hair, Flesh, Tooth and Nail Brushes; Fine and Choice Perfumery and Fancy Goods; Pure Liquors and Wines, for Medical and Sacramental Purposes; Surgical Instruments; Trusses, Shoulder Braces, Supporters; White Lead, ground in oil; Pure and No. 1 Red Lead; Black Lead; Black Paint, ground in Oil; Lamp Black, in assorted papers; Spanish Brown; Prussian Blue Carmene, No. 1 to 6; White and Red Chalk; Chrome Green, ground in oil, and dry; Paris Green, ground in oil, and dry; imperial Brunswick and Permanent Green; Drop Black; Drop Lake; Gold Leaf; Litharge; French Yellow Ochre; Rose Pink; Vermillion Pumice Stone; Rotten Stone; Patent Dryer; Spanish Whiting; Spirits of Turpentine; Terra de Sienna; Turkey Umber; Copal, Japan and Demat Varnish; Verdigris; Venetian Red; Zinc Paint; Fire Proof Paint; Wood and Paper Pill Boxes; Elastic and Metallic Bougies; Elastic Breast Exhausters; Glass Breast Pipes; Breast Pumap; Glass Tube for applying Nitrate of Silver; Domestic Instrument for self injecting, (Maw's;) Elastic and Silver Catheters; Cupping Glasses; Eye Glasses; Electro-Magnetic Battery; Glass Funnels; Gallipots; Graduated Measures; Hair Gloves; Hair Belts; Heifer's Teats; Inhalers; Issue Peas; Lint; Leeches; Medicine Chests, furnished complete; Wedgewood, Glass and Iron Mortars; Nipple Glasses; Nipple Shields; Nursing Bottles; Pessaries; Physician's Pocket Cases; Retorts and Receivers; Saddle Bags; Sheepskins; Scales and Weights; Spatulas; Sponge for Surgeons; Stomach Tubes; Stethoscopes; Suspensary Bandages; Thermometers; Pocket Instruments; Spring Lancets, silver and brass; Thumb Lancets, English and American; Scarificators; Uterine Supporters, the most approved; Syringes, from 1 to 24 ozs.; Womb Syringes, the best patterns; Forceps for all purposes. For sale by E. S. HOLDEN.

Stockton, Aug., 1855. ap18-tf

Stockton Advertisements.

HEWLETT & COLLINS,

STOCKTON,

Corner of Main and Hunter Streets,

OFFER FOR SALE,

Ex Late Arrivals.

RAISINS, Layers and Bunch, wholes and hfs;
Raisins, Sultana, in drums;
Pepper, Ground in class, superior quality;
Pepper, Grain in sacks;
Pickles, Cases, gherkins and mixed;
Mackerel, Half barrels, Nos. 1 and 2;
Mackerel, Kitts Nos. 1 and 2;
Codfish, Drums St. John;
Cordage, Assorted sizes Manilla;
Lard, 10 lb. tins;
Pick Helves, Extra quality;
Dried Apples, Extra quality, fine sliced
Shot, Assorted sizes; Powder;
Hemp Twine, In balls, Cotton do;
Pie Fruit, Various brands;
Fresh Peaches, In glass and tin;
Dried Peaches, In kegs, superior quality;
Dried Plums, In kegs, superior quality;
Hand Axes, Collins' medium sizes;
Olive Oil, In cases;
Matches, Roundwood boxes;
Tubs, Extra article;
Safety Fuse, In barrels, water proof;
Cheese, In tins. aug15tf

Manilla Rope.

OF ALL SIZES—we are in constant receipt, direct from Boston, Rope of every description, from ¾ to 7 inches in circumference. We have the only complete assortment of Rope in this State, which we offer at the lowest Market price in lots to suit. HEWLETT & COLLINS,
au29-tf Corner Main and Hunter sts., Stockton.

N. B. We have our Rope manufactured to order, from superior materials.

Grain and Flour Sacks.

75,000 GRAIN AND FLOUR SACKS, For sale as low as any in the State, by HEWLETT & COLLINS,
au29-tf Stockton.

Notice to Ox Teamsters.

YOU will find the best and cheapest OX YOKES and BOWS in the State, at
HEWLETT & COLLINS,
au29-tf Stockton.

Dirt Barrows.

CANAL, Mining and Garden BARROWS, for sale by HEWLETT & COLLINS,
au29-tf Stockton.

ROPE—Manila and Hemp Cordage, of all sizes. Also—Oars, Blocks, Tar, Pitch, Rosin and Oakum for sale by HEWLETT & COLLINS.
m13-tf Corner Main and Hunter streets, Stockton.

Blocks and Sheaves.

JUST RECEIVED, Ex "Rambler," a large assortment of Blocks and Sheaves, consisting in part of as follows:
Patent Double and Single;
do do Iron strapped;
Common do;
do do Iron strapped;
Blocks and Sheaves for Hay Presses. For sale at San Francisco prices by
HEWLETT & COLLINS.
au15tf. Corner Main and Hunter sts, Stockton.

Notice—Powder Magazine.

HEWLETT & COLLINS

ARE authorized to take charge of all POWDER landed in the city of Stockton, subject to be stored in accordance with the Ordinance of the city of Stockton.

Parties having Powder can have the same stored or taken charge of by leaving a notice at the store of HEWLETT & COLLINS,
Corner Main and Hunter sts., Stockton.

All kinds of Powder for sale at San Francisco prices—freight added. aug15tf

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Saussage Cutters.

A FEW of the largest size Saussage Cutters, and Stuffers, with large fly-wheel and coggs, for sale low by HEWLETT & COLLINS,
au29 tf Stockton.

Hewlett & Collins.

Corner Main and Hunter Streets,

STOCKTON,

HAVE ON HAND A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF AGRICULTURAL AND MINING IMPLEMENTS;
GROCERIES;
SHIP CHANDLERY;
PROVISIONS;
LIQUORS;
WINES;
CIGARS;
CLOTHING;

—AND ALL—

GOODS SUITED TO THE MINES.

Traders visiting this city for the purpose of purchasing, are respectfully solicited to call and examine their stock. They possess facilities which enables them to compete with any house in this city, in regard to price, and all goods purchased of them will be warranted.

Prompt and careful attention paid to orders, and goods forwarded without delay. m9-tf

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COAL! COAL! COAL!

THE SUBSCRIBERS have now on hand at HEWLETT & COLLINS' COAL YARD, on the Peninsula, near C. M. Weber's, STOVE and BLACKSMITH'S COAL, in casks and sacks. We are receiving Coal DIRECT from the CUMBERLAND MINES, which enables us to sell at San Francisco prices, with freight added.

Purchasers will do well to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere. Orders must be left at the store on the corner of Main and Hunter streets, Stockton.
m13tf HEWLETT & COLLINS

Hay Cutters.

CYLENDER HAY, STRAW, AND STALK CUTTER. So great is the utility of cutting fodder for stock, that it can only be appreciated by those persons who have had experience in the business, many persons having observed the advantages of this mode of preparing fodder by a Cutter, when they had only one animal to feed. For sale by
HEWLETT & COLLINS,
oc1-tf Corner Main and Hunter streets, Stockton.

Premium Steel Plows.

JUST RECEIVED, Ex Nor Wester, a few of the celebrated Eagle No. 4, Steel Plows, with wheel, cutter, and extra points, and Eagle No. 8 with wheel cutter, and extra points.

The above named plows have been manufactured expressly for our trade. The strength, durability, and lightness of draught, with the peculiar shape of the mould board, and extra points, make them the most desirable steel plow in the State. One look at them and you will be convinced.

Plow points of all kinds, for sale by
HEWLETT & COLLINS,
Oct. 1-tf Stockton.

Plows! Plows!!

JUST RECEIVED, Ex Nor Wester, direct from the factory, a complete assortment of PLOWS, consisting in part of
Eagle, No. 1, B, with cutter, wheel, and extra points.
Eagle, " 2 " " " " "
Eagle, " 31 " " " " "
Eagle, " 35 " " " " "
Eagle, " 4 steel, " " " "
Eagle, " 8 steel, " " " "

All of our Plows are made to order, and are made from the best materials, with a view of meeting the wants of the California farmers. For sale at the very lowest prices by
HEWLETT & COLLINS,
Oct. 1-tf Stockton.

D. J. OULLAHAN

FREIGHTER AND FORWARDER,

Levee Street, Stockton.

ALL GOODS consigned to my care will be forwarded to their destination in any part of the Southern Mines, with despatch and correctness, at the lowest rates of freight, free of commissions or other extra charges aug1-tf

N. B. Storage in a fire-proof building when required, FREE OF CHARGE. Good reference given.

STOCKTON EYE INFIRMARY.

[ESTABLISHED 1856.]

Corner Main and Sutter streets, Stockton, Cal.,

J. H. BROCKWAY, M. D. SURGEON,

☞ PARTICULAR ATTENTION given to DISEASES OF THE EYE

☞ The most desperate and hopeless cases cured.

☞ The design of this institution is to afford an Asylum for the Blind, where they can receive better treatment than at any other Institution in the United States. aug29-3m

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Charles P. Greenly & Co.,

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

HARDWARE,

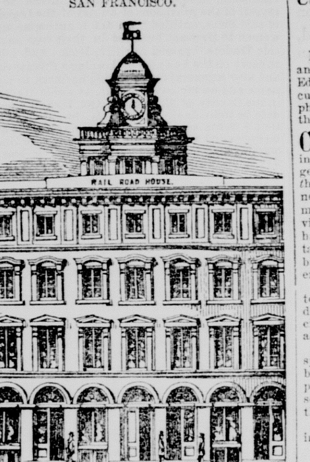
Sheet and Bar Iron, Steel, Blacksmith's Tools, Cumberland Coal, Farming and Mining Implements, &c.

CENTRE ST., (Near Adams & Co.'s Express Office,
STOCKTON. j3-tf

Miscellaneous.

RAIL-ROAD HOUSE,

SAN FRANCISCO.



HOTEL ENTRANCE 46 COMMERCIAL STREET.

RESTAURANTS,

Nos. 48 Commercial and 87 Clay streets,

LADIES ORDINARY, SECOND STORY.

Fire Proof Building.

HALEY & THOMPSON.

d20-tf Proprietors.

NEW ARRANGEMENT!

A. N. FISHER & CO'S DAILY LINE

....OF....

STAGES

....FOR....

STOCKTON,

Two Routes, *viz: Old Road*

Via MOUNT OPHIR,
QUARTSBURG,
HORNITOS,
SNELLING'S,
DICKINSON'S, and HEATH & EMERY'S FERRIES

New Road, on Alternate Days,

Via MOUNT OPHIR,
HORNITOS,
PHILLIPS' FERRY,
SNELLINGS'
COXES', FRENCH BAR, and BRANCH FERRY, to

tockton.

Hereafter the Stages will arrive in Mariposa at 9 A. M.; leaving for Hornitas the same day at 1½ o'clock, P. M.—from which place passengers will start at 2 o'clock next morning, arriving in Stockton in time to connect with the Boat for San Francisco and also with the Stages for Sacramento making the trip through in one day.

Also from Hornitas to Sonora and intermediate towns without stopping.

Office—at the office of Wells, Fargo & Co., Main street, Mariposa. J. B. CONDON, Ag't.
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H. W. GILLINGHAM,

GENERAL

Commission and Forwarding Merchant

DEALER IN

FLOUR, BARLEY, &C. &C.,

Stockton, California.

Corner Commerce st. and Levee, Starbuck's Building.

PARTICULAR ATTENTION PAID TO

Receiving Goods from Steamers and Sailing Vessels, and forwarding same to all parts of the Southern Mines, at lowest rates of Freight.

Stockton, Dec. 2, 1856. d3 3m

To the Public.

The undersigned respectfully announces to the citizens of Mariposa and vicinity, that he has opened a shop on

BULLION STREET,

For the purpose of carrying on the

Casting and Finishing Business.

BILLIARD BALLS will be turned, PUMPS fitted, and every thing connected with Machinery will be attended to.

—ALSO—

WEATHER BOARDING and SIDING always on hand and for sale. d20 tf N. HASKELL.

STOCKTON Foundry and Machine Works.

THESE WORKS are now in successful operation, and producing all kinds of Castings in general use, such as are required for Farming and Mining purposes; Horsepower and Separators; Wheels, &c. Also Horsepower for Irrigating and Mining; Gudgeons for Saw Mills, and Current Wheels for mining; Riffles, Forge Backs and Tuyere Irons; Quartz Machinery. Also, on hand a complete assortment of Cast Iron Sheaves, of all sizes, for chain or rope. Hay Press Fixtures. All kinds of Reaper Wheels and Pinions, as well as Brass and Iron Boxes for same. Hubbs and Pipe Boxes; Car Wheels; a complete assortment constantly on hand, with Axles and Boxes, and Wheels without axles, ready at all times for axles to suit any track required. Car Wheels, from nine inches to nineteen and a half inches in diameter. Trucks for Flour Mills; Proof Staffs for Flour Mills. Wheels for arastres and Quartz Mills; Shoes for long Trucks; Castings for wind mills. Also, a complete assortment of patterns for plain and ornamental Columns, &c. for either one or two story brick building fronts. Pulleys of various sizes; Hoisting apparatus; Shafting made to order; Steam Cylinders bored out, &c. We are prepared to do all kinds of repairing machinery, either Lathe or plainer work.

Have also on hand Cast Iron Kettles, holding seventy gallons, suitable for farmer's or butcher's use.

The Works are daily accumulating the various new patterns that are required for general milling purposes.

For Sale.

One ten horse Steam Engine and Boiler, with Barley Mill, if required.

Cash paid for old Cast Iron.

Having become the Proprietor of these Works, I am prepared to furnish Castings, &c. at the rates for cash that they can be produced for at San Francisco, with the difference of freight only.

R. G. HANNA.

Stockton, September 4, 1856. s5tf

NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to Clark, Lamon & Co., are hereby notified that the due bills, notes and accounts of said Company have been placed in the hands of the subscriber for collection, and that a prompt settlement of all notes and accounts now due, is most earnestly desired.

R. B. LAMON.

Bear Creek, July 18th, 1856. jy18tf

☞ A BRIGHT STREAK OF GRATITUDE.—The following appeared some months since in the San Francisco Citizen, without the knowledge of Dr. Young. We copy it as a complimentary tribute to one of the most skillful physicians that ever made this State his residence. As it was entirely unsolicited, and made public without the knowledge of any one but the writer, it speaks volumes. It should be cut out and pinned up, for reference to any one who should unfortunately be similarly situated:

"*To my afflicted Fellow Men*—Being about to leave the State of California for my home in Michigan, I wish before leaving to recommend to your notice that great benefactor, DR. J. C. YOUNG. I was on the very brink of the grave, when he stretched forth his hand and saved me from death. For several years I had been troubled with a complication of diseases, brought on by bad habits, aggravated by exposure in the mines, which had so weakened my system and undermined my constitution, that I have often contemplated suicide. Borne down by racking pain in my body, dizziness in my head, sore eyes, pains and misery in my back and hips, weariness in my legs, evil forebodings, together with a confirmed melancholy. I considered my best friends to be my worst enemies; my dreams were frightful, and at times strange phantasies took complete possession of my mind. I was fast hurrying to insanity—that worst of living deaths. In this state a friend and partner in the mining business approached me on the subject, and advised me to go to the Bay and see DR. YOUNG. I did so, and thank God for it. DR. YOUNG examined my case, and told me he could cure me. Shortly after I commenced taking his medicines my troubles began to decrease, and in three months I was perfectly well. Take my advice, all you that are afflicted, and call upon him, for he will be sure to cure you. He has cured several of my acquaintances, after they had become discouraged by being deceived by the humbugs of the day, both by American and foreign vagabonds. My heart leaps towards him with gratitude for his benefits to me.

m21-tf CHAS. F. MANROUE.

San Francisco Advertisements.

DR. J. C. YOUNG

Corner of Montgomery and California sts, over Wells, Fargo & Co's Express Office, San Francisco.

Is the pioneer advertising Physician of California, and the only one who received a Collegiate Medical Education, and is better qualified to treat, and has cured more cases of Private Disease than any other physician. For reference, see all of the papers throughout the State.

CONSTITUTIONAL DEBILITY, OR SEMINAL WEAKNESS.—Dr. YOUNG addresses those who have injured themselves by private and improper indulgences in that secret and solitary habit which ruins the body and mind, unfiting them for either business or society. The following are some of the sad melancholy effects produced by early habits of youth, viz: Weakness of the back and limbs, pain in the head, dimness of sight, loss muscular power, palpitation of the heart, dyspepsia, nervousness, irritability, derangement of the digestive functions, general debility, symptoms of consumption, &c.

MENTALLY the fearful effects on the mind are more to be dreaded. Loss of memory, confusion of ideas, depression of spirits, evil forbodings, aversion to society, self-distrust, love of solitude, timidity, &c. &c. are some of the evils produced.

All persons who are afflicted with any of the above symptoms should not fail to call on Dr. Young, and be at once restored to health. Let no false delicacy prevent you, but apply immediately, and save yourselves from the dreadful and awful consequences of this awful malady.

WEAKNESS OF THE ORGANS immediately cured, and full vigor restored.

Dr. J. C. YOUNG.

Cor. California and Montgomery sts, (up stairs.)

IMPORTANT TO MINERS, TRAVELERS, ETC.

THERE is no malady of deeper importance, either in a medcal or moral point of view, to which the human family is more liable than that arising from impure connections.

As a Medical man it is the duty of every physician to look at disease as it affects health and life, and his sole object should be to mitigate, as far as lies in his power, the bodily suffering. Human nature at best is but frail, all are liable to misfortune.

Of all the ills that affect man, none are more terrible than those of a private nature. Dreadful as it is in the person who contracts it, frightful as are its ravages upon his constitution, ending frequently in destruction and a loathsome grave, it becomes of still greater importance when it is transmitted to innocent offspring. Such being the case how necessary it becomes that every one having the least reason to fear that they have contracted the disease, should attend to it at once by consulting some physician, whose respectability and education enables him to warrant a safe, speedy, and permanent cure. In accordance with this necessity, DR. YOUNG feels called upon to state that, by long study and extensive practice, he has become perfect master of all those diseases which come under the denomination of venereal, and having paid more attention to that one branch than any other physician in the United States, he feels himself better qualified to treat them.

Syphilis in all its forms, such as Ulcers, Swelling in the Groins, Ulcers in the Throat, Secondary Syphilis, Cutaneous Eruptions, Ulcerations, Tertuary Syphilis, Syphilis in children, Mercureal Syphilitic Affections, Gonorrhea, Gleet, Strictures, False Passoges, Inflamation of the Bladder and Prostrate Glands, Excoriations, Tumors, Postules, ect., are as familiar to him as the most common things of daily observation.

The Doctor effects a cure in recent cases in a few days, and finds no difficulty in curing those of long duration, without submitting the patient to such treatment as will draw upon him the slightest suspicion, or oblige him to neglect his business, whether within doors or without. The diet need not be changed, except in cases of severe inflamation. There are in California patients, (amounting to over two thousand in the past year,) that could furnish proof of this; but these are matters that require the nicest secresy, which he always preserves.

All letters, enclosing $10, will be promptly attended to. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 8 P. M. Address J. C. YOUNG, M. D., Express Building, Corner of Montgomery and California streets, over Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Express Department.

TO THE AFFLICTED.—Persons troubled with disease should peruse the following Letters of Recommendations, from DR. J. C. YOUNG'S patients.—They are voluntary offerings of gratitude to him for benefits received, and are proofs strong as Holy Writ, of his scientific attainments. No one can read them without at once having confidence in him, and we confidently make the assertion that people afflicted with private or other diseases, will call upon him in preference to any other physician in the country.—Read them carefully, ye that need medical assistance, and then lose no time in consulting him while there is time left to cure you in.

MARYSVILLE, June 10th, 1855.

DR. J. C. YOUNG, DEAR SIR:—Please send me some of the medicines you prescribed in my case. I have a friend here who is troubled in exactly the same way that I was. He has nightly emissions ringing noise in his head, weak back, loss of memory, and is generally debilitated; he is discouraged and has not confidence enough to enable him to call and see you. I told him how I was, and that my friends all said I was in consumption, and the doctors up here gave me up, and advised me to go home and die, but instead of going home I called upon you, and here I am as well as any of them, and likely to live a long time yet, with strength enough to work with the strongest of them. Doctor I will send every one to you that looks to me as though he needed a physician. It shall not be my fault if any one dies for want of medical treatment. I will do all I can to keep the afflicted away from those pests of society, yclept professors and high-sounding titled men who, if the facts were known, are men who left their country for their country's good. Publish this letter Doctor, if you wish, and I hope that some of those that humbugged me may see it and sleep bad for one night.

Truly yours, GEO. DAVIDSON.

GRASS VALLEY, June 30, 1855.

DEAR SIR:—The last medicine you sent me has done the business. I am now perfectly well, and wish to give my testimony to the public in favor of your skill. I was troubled with a complication of diseases brought on by that soul destroying habit of self-pollution, and complaints caught by connection with bad persons of the opposite sex. I have been treated by some of the best physicians, as well as those quacks who infest this State, and by them all given up as incurable; but being advised by a friend who had been benefitted by your scientific treatment, to call upon you. I did so, and feel grateful to him for the information, but still more thankful to you for the care and good advice you gave me, as well as the efficatious medicines you prescribed. If any of the afflicted should see this, let them be sure that it is a voluntary offering in gratitude for the blessings of health received from you, and also given with a fervent wish that it may be of service to those suffering as I did; and now may God bless you in your effort to lessen the sufferings of the human family, and may all good citizens assist you to drive from the community these leaches that prey upon the public by false pretensions of eminence in the medical world. Yours eternally.

JOHN BURGESS.

To Dr. J. C. Young, San Francisco.

PLACERVILLE, May 28, 1855.

DR. J. C. YOUNG—DEAR SIR:—Words cannot express the gratitude I feel is due to you for the benefit I have received from your truly invaluable course of treatment of my case while brescribing for me. I think I cannot justify myself without giving this small token of my thankfulness and esteem, for you have been the means of saving my life, and restoring to me that health which I had so long despaired of again enjoying. I had for a long time (four years) been troubled with that most dreadful scourge of young people, seminal weakness, or nocturnal emissions, which so weakened me, by body and mind, that I was obliged to give up mininfi altogether. I consulted one of the best physicians, (so called,) in the mountain districts, and after a carsful examination of my case, he gave me medicines. I continued under his treatment for three months without receiving any benefit, in fact, I grew worse frhm week to week, until at last I got discouraged and asked him for his opinion. I told him not to fear to tell me the whole truth, for I should rather know the worst at once, than to live in suspense. I had lost about thirty pounds of flesh, and knew that he at least could not cure me, and as I was then going on, death must soon count me as one of its victims. This physician then told me that my case was incurable; that I had better not take any more medicines. He said I was in a decline, which was fast tending to pulmonary consumption.

I then despaired of obtaining any relief, and saw that unless something was done to mitigate the complaint, I should be numbered with the dead, or what is worse, be a raving maniac. Happening to see one of your books, the Pocket Æsculapins, I made up my mind at once to call and consult you with the determination of trying once more to get relief if you would undertake the case. Oh, how thankful I am for that determination! I commenced taking the medicines prescribed by you, and I am now, through their healing powers, restored to perfect health. I shall not fail to recommend you to any of my friends that require assistance, for a man that can cure a case as bad as mine was, can cure every disease that flesh is heir to, if there is life enough left in the system to build upon.

Receive my most sincere and heartfeit thanks and esteem. S. W. REIGHLEA.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 2d, 1855.

Dear Sir—I have not had one single fit since I commenced taking your medicines; I am also gaining strength every day. The trouble that I had, which was the cause of the fits, is also leaving me qery fast. In fact, I think I am entirely well, but if you think it best, I will take medicines a short time longer. It is only about two months since I commenced taking your prescriptions, and although you told me it would take from three to four months, yet I feel perfectly well already. I feel sorry that I did not visit you at first, and not allow myself to be led away by the vain boasting of those quacks that copy your style of business, and thereby impose upon the public. They despoiled me of my money, and if I had not stopped taking their vile stuff, they would have robbed me of my life also. Thanks to your superior medical skill, I am beyond danger, and I shall always consider you the savior of my life.

Dear Dr.—Publish this if you consider it worth your while, for I wish to proclaim to the world your worth, that every one who needs a physician may know where to call, and be sure of avoiding deceit and imposition. Yours, till death.

GEO MARSHAL.

To J. C. YOUNG, M. D. jan16-3m